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# PLATT FOR SENATOK

Nominated by Republican Caucus at Albany Last Night.

RECEIVED 142 OF THE 149 VOTES CAST

Foseph H. Choate, the Only Other Can didate, Received the Other Seven-Names of Those Who Opposed Mr. Platt's Candidancy.

Albany, Jan. 15.-Hon. Thomas Colher Platt was last night nominated for United States senator by the republican members of the legislature in joint saucus. His name was not presented for the consideration of the caucus. The only candidate placed in nominalion was Joseph H. Choate of New Fork city. The nomination was made just a half hour after the caucus consened. Of the 149 republicans votes east Mr. Platt received 142, although his name was not mentioned in the caucus until after the roll call for the selection of a nominee had commenced. Such a condition has never before been presented in party politics in New York state. Mr. Platt has all along said that he was not a candidate and the programme carried out by the party leaders last night was in deference to nis request. His name was not placed in nomination and it was the evident intention of the leaders to show that it was not necessary to do this, as one of the prominent republican leaders taid: "We will let Mr. Choate's friends do the talking and we will do the voting." This was apparent in the result. Mr. Choate only received seven votes, but this was four more than Mr. Platt's friends had figured out for him. Mr. Choate's supporters were Senators Brush of Brooklyn, Pavey of New York and Tibbitts of Rensselaer and Assemblymen Bates of Tompkins, Lambier of New York, Robbins of Allegany and Sanger of Oneids. Some surprise was manifesied when Senator Tibbitts, who represents Governor Black's district, voted for Choate. There was but one absent senator. Wray of Brooklyn. Mackay of Delaware was the absent assemblyman, naving been excused on account of the death of his father. Senator Wray was delayed by his train being late. He arrived soon after adjournment, and said he would have voted for Mr. Platt had he been present. Senator Brush placed the Hom. Joseph H. Choate in nomination, and this was seconded by Assemblyman Sanger of Dneida . Senator Raines then offered a resolution which was unanimously adopted to the surprise of every one in the chamber who had expected to see Mr. Platt's name formally presented. This was Mr. Raines's resolution: That the roll of the members of this caucus be called by the secretaries and as each man's name is called he rise in his place and name his choice for United States senator, and that the person receiving a majority of the votes of all the republican senators and members plected be the unanimous choice by this caucus and be voted for in the senate and assembly by every member hereof. The balloting then proreeded with but few interruptions. Senator Ford's vote for Mr. Platt was received with favor. When Senator Tibbits cast his vote for Joseph II. Choate there was a feeble handelapping from the ladies' gallery. Assemblyman J. J. Sullivan of New York caused much amusement. When his name was called he arose and said: "A voice from the Bowery-Thomas Collier Platt." At the conclusion of the roll gall it was appounced that 149 votes had been cast, of which Joseph H. Thoate received seven and Thomas C. Platt 142. Mr. Platt's nomination was then made unanimous. The name of Chester S. Lord was then presented for recent, of the university, made vacant by the death of Hon W. L. Bostwick. and as no other name was presented the secretary was directed to cast one ballot for the caucus for Mr. Lord. This was done and the caucus ad-

# THE PLATT BANQUET.

30me of His Former Colleagues in the Senate Among the Special Guests Invited. Albany, Jan. 15.-State Treasurer

Calvin, who is president of the State League of Republican clubs, under whose auspices the banquet is to be given in this city January 26, in monor of the United States senator-elect, announces that the following, who were members of the United States senate with Hon. Thomas C. Platt during the latter's former term, have been invited to the banquet as special guests: Orville H. Platt, Joseph R. Hawley, Benjamin Harrison, James Wilson McDill, William B. Alison, John J. Ingalls, William Pitt Kellogg, William P. Frye, Eugene Hale, George F. Hoar, Oscar D. Conger, Samuel J. R. McMillen, Alvin Saunders, J. P. Jones, Henry W. Blair, William J. Sewall, J. Donald Cameron, John I. Mitchell, Nelson W. Aldrich, Justin S. Morrill, George F. Edmunds and Philetus Sawyer. Ex-Bovernor Cornell and ex-Governor Morton, the only living republican exgovernors of this state, have also reseived special guest's invitations, as have also the following republican governors of eastern states: Governors Llewellyn Powers of Maine, Daniel H. in fron Hasting of Pennsylvania, John W. arsenal.

Griggs of New Jersey, Loren A. Cook of Connecticut, George A. Ramsdell of New Hompshire, Roger A. Wolcott of Massachusetts, G. W. Atkinson of West Virginia, Charles W. Lippitt of Rhode Island, Josiah Grout of Vermont, Lloyd Loundes of Maryland and Asa Bushnell of Ohio.

CAPT. M'GIFFIN INSANE.

The Brilliant Naval Officer a Victim of the

; Chino-Japanese War. New York, Jan. 15.-Capt. Philo Mc-Giffin, the former officer of the United States navy and afterward of the Chinese imperial navy, who fought the flagship Chen Yuen against the combined attack of the entire Japanese fleet in the memorable battle of the Yaln river, on the afternoon of September 17, 1894, was recently taken from his lodging house on West 33d street, to the Post Graduate hospital violently insane. It was with difficulty that the captain was pursuaded to go. He held the police and hospital ambulance attendants at bay with a revolver, and it was only after his brother, John McGiffin of Little Washington, Pa., arrived, was he induced to go to the hospital. Capt. McGiffin was perfectly rational when he first went to the house, although he was noticeably reticent. Much of his time was spent in reading and writing, and it is said be was preparing an exhaustive review of the Chino-Japanese war. Capt. McGiffiin's condition is such now that he must be calmed thoroughly before Dr. Hammond operates on his brain. This operation will probably not take place for several days yet. The wrecking of this brilliant naval officer's intellect is said to be the direct result of the terrific strain to which he was subjected during the battle of the Yalu river. He was dangerously wounded during the engagement. Both his ear-drums were ruptured, both eyes permanently affected and his head and body filled with splinters of wood and steel.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

The Latter Exceeded the Former in 1896

by \$325,322,184. Washington, Jan. 15.-The chief of the bureau of statistics reports that the total values of the exports of merchandise from the United States during the twelve months ended December 31, 1396, as compared with similar exports during the corresponding period of the preceding year, were as follows: Twelve months ended December 31, 1896, \$1,005,878.417; twelve months ended December 31, 1895, \$824,560,136. During the twelve months ended December 31, 1896, the excess of exports over imports was \$325,322,184 and the excess for the preceeding year was \$23,190.739. During the twelve months ended December 31, 1896, the excess of gold imports over exports was \$46,023,-594. The excess of exports of silver over imports during the twelve months ended December 31, 1896, was \$50,-

SUICIDE OF GEO. LACEY.

When Gas and Laudanum Failed, He Cut His Throat.

Trenton, Jan. 15.-George Lacey, the potter who committed suicide yesterday, wielded a great influence among the members of his trade, and for that reason was very popular with politicans. He had appeared several times before congressional committees at Washington in the interest of the potters. He was 40 years old. Lacev was very deliberate and determined in his efforts to die. His self-inflicted death occurred at his lodgings. He first ensuccessfully tried laudanum and diuminating gas. Then he told a feliow-lodger what he had done, asked him to go for a physician, and while the loager was absent on this mission. cut his throat, dying in a few minutes.

Laban Resolution in Albany Legislature.

Albany, Jan. 15 .- The Cuban resolution introdused in the house by Assemblyman Whritner, rep., of Rockland county, after citing the atrocities perpetrated by the Spanish authorities upon American citizens and others on the island of Cuba during the past year, and asserting that the patriots have organized and maintained for months a republican form of government over a greater part of the island: and that the commercial interests of the United States, and especially the state of New York, have suffered severely, owing to the unsettled condition of affairs in that island, and the Spanish authorities having shown their inability by force to preserve order, the assembly, the senate concurring, directs senators and representatives in congress from this state to urge and support measures as will insure to the struggling Cubans recognition by the United States as belligerents and an opportunity to carry

open warfare under equal conditions. Drowned While Skating.

Schenectady, N. Y., Jan. 15.-Joseph Gill, aged about 14 years, while skating on Mohawk river late yesterday afternoon, lay down on his stomach at the edge of an opening cut by ice harvesters to get a drink. He lost his balance, fell in and was drowned.

To Improve Springfield Assensi.

Washington, Jan. 15. - Secretary Lamont has asked for an appropriation of \$3,000 for improving the streets in front of the Springfield, Mass.

# IN CHAINS FOR LIFE FLEEING IN TERROR

Sentence Passed upon Louis Someillan at Havana.

A NATURALIZED AMERICAN CITIZEN

The Unfortunate Man Convicted of Conspiring Against the Spanish Government---His Che Will Be Appealed to Madrid Courts.

Havana, Jan. 15.—Sentence has been passed upon Luis Someillans, the naturalized American citizen who was found guilty of conspiring against the Spanish government. The sentence of the tribunal before which he was tried is that he be imprisoned for life in chains. Someillan's lawyer will appeal to the supreme court at Madrid against the decision of the Havana tribunal. Among the various conclusions of the tribunal, based on the charges against the prisoner, the following was the most important: 'Whereas, public rumor, in attributing to Someillan disaffected to the Spanish cause, was not misguided, since his change of nationality for an unjustified and unexplained reason suggests a rational suspicion that whoever breaks in such a way his traditions and history is actuated by hatred of or, at least, indifference to, his ancient country, and changes his nationality in order to, while continuing to enjoy the advantages of Spanish legislation and the customs of Spanish society. carry in the bottom of his soul the ferment of separation, of which Someillan is a living and personal example." The tribunal also discarded all the evidence favorable to the prisoner, saying that there was ex-parte evidence of a complot to misguide the

CUBAN REPUBLIC STAMPS.

Their Appearance in the United States

Mails Perplexes Postal Authorities. Washington, Jan. 15 .- The appearance of the stamp of the so-called Cuban republic in the United States mails has caused much comment here and is being the source of some discussion at the postoffice department as to whether such stamps could be recognized as proper for the transmission of mails into the United States as this government has not recognized Cuba as a free and independent country. This is probably the first case of its kind where insurgents have established their own postoffices and used their own stamps, which were transmitted in the mails to the United States. At the postoffice department it is stated that these stamps are good so far as the United States is concerned, as our postal laws require only that the stamps be properly cancelled, and the envelopes containing mail matter bear the postmark of a regular postoffice. These regulations have been complied with so far as the department knows. Had they not been admissible, the letters bearing these stamps would have been marked with the letter T at the receiving office in this country, meaning "tax collect." The department knows nothing about the postoffice stamped on the envelope, except that it is Spanish territory and Spain is in the international postal union. These stamps might give rise to a delicate diplomatic question in which the postoffice department would take no part, but refer the matter to the department of state for settlement.

\$54,000 in Public Bequests.

Boston, Jan. 15 - The will of the late Harriet H. Flint of Wakefield contains public bequests amounting to 934.000, including \$10,000 for a soldiers' monument for the town of Wakefield.

Taylor Extradition Case.

London, Jan. 15 .- The proceedings in the case of the extradition of Edward Taylor, wanted in the United States for murder, have been postponed for one week in order to permit the American officers to procure further

China Orders Warships.

Berlin, Jan. 15 .-- An order for eleven armored cruisers and torpedo destroy. ers has been placed with German builders by the Chinese government. A special tax upon tea has been imposed to meet the expenditures.

The Pittsburgs To Train at Atlants.

Pittsburg, Jan. 15.-Manager Donovan of the Pittsburg Baseball club announces that he has secured the Atlanta, Ga., baseball grounds for training purposes for his team.

Consul Wamer Dead.

Washington, Jan. 15 .- A cablegram received at the state department announces the death at Cologne, Germany, of United States consul William Wamer in that city.

NATEL NOWS.

Washington, Jan. 15 .- The cruiser Newark has left Port Royal for Jacksonville. The Monterey has arrived at Santa Barbara, Cal. The battleship Oregon has sailed for Acapulco, Mexico.

President of the French Senate.

Paris, Jan. 15.-M. Loubet has been re-elected president of the French senate, receiving 205 votes.

Half a Million People Driven from Bombay by the Plague.

REFUGEES IN DANGER OF CHOLERA

Doctors Afraid To Treat the Plague Pa tients and Many Refuse To Bury the Dead-Bodies Left Lying in the Streets.

Bombay, Jan. 15 .- It is estimated that over 500,000 persons, comprising more than half the population of the eity, have fled to escape the plague. The streets are practically deserted, shops and bazaars are closed, and business is practically at a standstill. The doctors are beginning to fear treating plague patients, lest they contract the disease, and many of the native physicians have ified. About 80,000 persons are encamped at Andheri, but they will not be able to remain there long owing to the scarcity of water and the unsanitary conditions prevailing. Every condition there is favorable to an outbreak of cholera, but the refugees are more afraid of the bubonic plague than of cholera, and they will undoubtedly remain where they are rather than to return to Rombay. The government is doing everything possible to assist the people, but its efforts thus far have been productive of little real result in the direction of cleanliness. In Poona and Bandra the plague is raging with great virulence. The efforts of physicians to stay the progress of the disease in the slightest degree have been fruitless and the death rate is extremely high. Hundreds of persons attacked by the disease have died in two or three hours. after suffering dreadful agony. The customs of the natives add to the hideousness of the plague. The Moham-

medan cemeteries are overcrowded and it is impossible to find men enough to dig graves and bury the dead. The sound of dirges is incessant in and around the places where the Hindoos burn their dead in accordance with their time-honored customs, and the funeral music has a most depressing influence on all who hear it, natives and foreigners alike. It is stated that numbers of dead bodies of Parsees, the religious sect who expose their dead bodies to be eaten by the vultures, are slowly decomposing in the open air in the places in which they are left. They have not been eaten by the vultures, the birds having been gorged by the great abundance of corpses furnished to them. Everywhere the greatest difficulty is found in obtaining men to carry the dead to the cemeteries, burning places and the dokhamas, or "towers of silence" of the Parsees. Even relatives shun this last service to their dead, fearing that they will contrac the disease by touching or approach-

ing the bodies. In many cases the

bodies have been found abandoned in

the streets, their bearers having been

overcome by fear while taking them to

their last resting place. Up to to-day

the number of cases of the plague is

placed officially at 3,394 and the deaths

at 2,356. A feature of the disease that

was noted in Hong Kong and southern

China while it was prevalent there is

also noticed here. Swine, poultry

and rodents appear to be very suscep-

tible to the plague, and great numbers of them have died. RIVAL INVENTORS PROTESTED. Portraits of Whitney and McCormick Nov

To Appear on Silver Certificates.

Washington, Jan. 15. - Secretary Car-

Whitney, inventor of the cotton gin. and Cyrus H. McCormick, inventor of rough and Captain Gross ordered perthe reaper, be not put upon the new \$10 silver certificates as contemplated by Superintendent Johnson of the Ruer there was no further trouble. reau of engraving and printing. The number of protests filed against the proposed plate was simply surprising to treasury officials, who had no idea, of the hornets' nest of rival inventors they were stirring up

The Bosbyshell Case.

error has been taken in the case of the United States against Oliver C. Bosbyshell, late superintendent of the Philaof ex-Chief Weigher Cochran, who stole gold bullion from that institucase before the United States supreme

Yang Yu's Successor.

Washington, Jan. 15.-The Chinese minister, Yang Yu, called at the state department yesterday to announce that Wn Ting Fang had been appointed to succeed him, and that he had for St. Petersburg.

To Resume Work Next Monday.

Reading, Pa., Jan. 15.—The Robesonia furnace, which has been out of blast nine months, will be started up next Monday, giving employment to 200 hands. The furnace is the largest in eastern Pennsylvania and produces over 1,000 tons of pig iron weekly.

SEIZURE OF THE DELAWARE. The Matter All a Mistake on the Part o

the Dispatch Boat Dolphin.

Jacksonville, Jan. 15 .- The seizure

ci the steamship Delaware of the Clyde line by the United States dispatch boat Dolphin was all the result of a mistake on the part of the officers of the government vessel. When the Delaware came into port with the lieutenant of the Dolphin in charge much surprise was expressed among shipping men here. It was explained by the lieutenant that the seizure grew out of the lighting of a match and the officers on the government vessel, ever on the alert to catch any filibuster along the Florida coast, flashed its searchlights over the waters to learn the meaning of the little flame. The light settled on a small rowboat in which was seated a pilot awaiting the arrival of the Delaware to bring her in over the bar. The appearance of the man in a small row boat at so early an hour excited the suspicions of the officers on board the Dolphin, and the boat and man was kept under close surveillance. When the Delaware hove in sight before daylight, and the pilot boarded her, the circumstances were regarded with even more suspicion. Lient, Sutherland then boarded the Delaware and came on into port with her. Upon arriving here he visited the offices of United States Attorney Clark, but the nature of his visit could not be learned. It is presumed, however, that he was satisfied that the Delaware was not a filibuster, for he returned to the Dolphin, going down on the revenue cutter Colfax.

Statement of the New York Agent. New York, Jan. 15.-William P. Clyde, head of the Clyde Steamship company and owners of the steamer Delaware, which was seized by the U. S. dispatch boat Dolphin yesterday off the St. John's bar near Jacksonville, Fla., was indignant when informed of the report by a representative of the United Associated Presses. "It is absolutely ridiculous," he declared, "to even suspect the Delaware of being a filibuster. State it emphatically that she had no munition of war aboard. The Delaware is owned by the Clyde Steamship company and you may rest assured that none of our vessels is engaged in unlawful trade. The boat was making a regular trip from Boston to Jacksonville and carried a general cargo."

BOARDED BY MONSTER WAVES. Thrilling Experience on Board the Steam

ship Dresden in Mid-Ocean. New York, Jan. 15 .- The North German Lloyed steamer Dresden has arrived at her pier in Hoboken with a story of two monster waves which boarded her at sea and threatened to send her to the bottom. The Dresden had rough weather from the time of sailing from Bremen, but the climax was reached at dawn on January 6. The ship was then in mid-ocean. A huge waveswept aboard, broke in the door of the saloon and flooded the compartment. The room of Chief Steward Barre was filled and the steward had to swim to safety. He got jammed in a doorway and had his knee wrenched. All the officers below had a scramble escaping from the flood to the deck. The sea had thrown the vessel down to a dangerous angle, but she righted again. To prevent the steerage passengers, of whom there were sventy-five on board, from rushing on deck in a panic, the door of the steerage was locked. At 7 o'clock another big wave went aboard striking the bridge and knocking Chief Officer Folger, who was on duty, sense less. He recovered later and came out lisle has directed that portraits of Eli, of the hospital with no injuries save a few bruises. The sea continued very forated bags filled with oil hung over

LOSS OF THE COMMODORE.

Faulty Pipes and Inexperience of the Engineer Given as the Cause.

Washington, Jan. 15. - Leo Vogel and Charles A. Spencer, United States a delegate to the International Typoateamboat inspectors at Jacksonville, Fla., have reported to the treasury the Philadelphia, Jan. 15.-A writ of result of their investigation as to the sinking of the filibustering steamer Commodore. They find that the vessel was fully equipped in all respects. The 'every city of the country. Mr. Mc. delphia mint, to recover on a shortage report further says: "Our opinion of , Kenna, too, was widely known and the sinking of the steamer Commodore is that it was due to the complication ; tion. A verdict was rendered against of pipes for freeing the vessel of water Bosbyshell for \$14,412. The writ of not being fully understood by the enerror was taken in order to bring the gineer's department." As regards the loss of life, the reports states six men perished. The vessel was valued at \$15,000, and cargo at \$4.800.

Por a Permanent Census.

Washington, Jan. 15 .- Mr. Sayers, dem, Tex., ex-chairman of the committee on appropriations, has introduced in the house a bill providing for the establishment of a permanent cenbeen promoted to Russia. He expect- aus service under the charge of the di- | crease has been only 184,000. ed his successor late in March, at rector of census, who shall have a which time he should himself depart salaray of \$6,000 per year. The necessary clerical force is provided for.

Army Appropriation Bill.

Washington, Jan. 15 .- The army appropriation bill for the year ending June 30, 1898, has been reported to the senate from the committee on appropriations. It carries an appropriation of \$23,139,344, \$3,000 more than when It came from the house.

# SHERMAN AT CANTON

The Next Secretary of State Calls on the President-elect.

WENT TO CANTON BY INVITATION

Secretary of the Treasury Portfolio Xel

Likely To Go to New York-The New 1 England Field Scanned-Ex-Gov. Long's Name Mentioned.

Canton, O., Jan. 15 .- The statement

made by C. N. Bliss of New York to the effect that he was not a member of Major McKinley's cabinet expresses the situation tersely. The reason that Mr. Bliss will not enter the cabinet is said not to be a political one. The withdrawal of Mr. Bliss from the list of cabinet possibilities leaves the situation open so far as the choice of a cabinet officer from New York is concerned. Major McKinley has not selected a New York republican for his cabinet and there is no reason to believe he will be in a hurry to do so; indeed the impression is prevalent here that one of the last members of the cabinet to be chosen will be the representative from the state of New York. Gossip, which is never idle; plays to-day with unwonted vivacity about the name of Gen. Stewart D. Woodford of Brooklyn. The president elect knows him exceedingly well and thinks highly of him. Another New York republican who is discussed somewhat as a cabinet possibility to-day is Hon. J. Sloat Fassett. If Major Mc-Kinley has any one in mind from New York he has given no signs. Major McKinley's next task will probably be that of choosing a secretary of the treasury, and the chances are that this position will not go to New York. The New England field was scanned for cabinet possibilities yesterday by the president-elect, who invited Senator Henry Cabot Lodge to consult with him upon the subject. Senator Lodge said: "I am not a candidate for a cabinet position. I am satisfied to be a senator from Massachusetts. We talked about ex-Gov. Long and others. Gov. Long is every highly esteemed by the people of our commonwealth and Major McKinley is considering ex-Gov. Long for his cabinet and the chances are that he will become a member of it though a port folio has not been tendered him. Representative W. F. Draper, who has been referred to as a cabinet possibilit ty, will not be considered in that connection, as he desires a foreign appointment. Senator Sherman, as was stated yesterday in these dispatches has been tendered and has accepted the portfolio of state. This announced ment may be considered conclusive, There is no room for doubt or for further discussion of the subject, except as an established and accepted fact. The belief is widespread that Chairman Hanna will succeed Mr. Sherman in the senate. C. G. Kendall. of Chicago called on Major McKinley last evening and received his orders for the vehicles which will be used in Washington. A landau, a cabriolet and a brougham were ordered. The vehicles will be of the best material and workmanship. Senator Sherman came to Canton to-day and consulted with

THEIR DEATH DUE TO ACCIDENT. Secretary Ferguson and Printer McKenus Left the Gas Turned on.

Major McKinley. It is said his visit

was made at the request of the presi-

dent-elect.

New York, Jan. 15 -There is no further doubt that the death by asphyxiation yesterday in the Hotel Ulmer on 125th street of William Ferguson and James McKenna was the rethe side. This quieted the waves and sult of an accident, and that they did not turn on the gas with suicidal intent. Mr. Ferguson was one of the best known printers in the country. He had been secretary and treasurer of Typographical Union No. 6 for seven years, and was very popular. He was graphical convention in Buffalo in 1887, and was a recognized leader in the councils of the convention. Through his work as the secretary of Big Six, Mr. Ferguson was known in popular. He was sent as a delegate to the convention in Boston, and was at one time first vice-president of the International Typographical union.

Chill's Population.

Panama, Jan. 3, via New York, Jan. 15. -The Panama Star and Herald says: The first census of the republia of Chili was taken in 1835, when the returns gave a total population of 1,010,332. The population is now given as 2,712,445. From 1875 to 1885 the increase was 457,349. Since then the in-

Bliss Not To Enter the Cabinet.

New York, Jan. 15 .- Cornelius N. Bliss, who has been prominently mentioned as being secretary of the navy in Major McKinley's cabinet, emphatically denies that he is to have either that or any other position under the next administration. This is believed to open the way for the appointment of Gen. Horace Porter as secretary of

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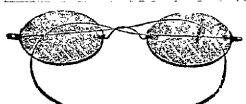
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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

CLEVELAND'S NEW HOME. It Is One of the Prettlest In or Around Princeton, N. J.

The house which President Cleveland has purchased at Princeton, and will make his home after March 4, is one of the prettiest in that place. It is situated on Bayard avenue, the most aristocratic street in the place. Near It live many members of the Princeton faculty and retired merchants.

The Slidell house is situated upon an eminence less than five minutes' walk from the railroad station and the college campus. The location is healthful and was approved before its purchase by Dr. Bryant, the president's physician. Excellent views are to be had



CLEVELAND'S PRINCETON HOME.

in all directions. To the north are the links of the Princeton Golf club, stretching away to the Rocky Hill Ridge, five miles distant. To the south lies the town, with its clustering trees and pretty homes, with here and there a spire or tower rising above the common level, and showing the location of an edifice dedicated to education and

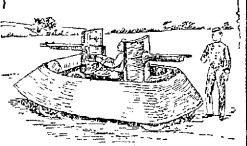
The president's new home is of colon ial architecture. It is surrounded by pines and elms, with spacious lawns and neatly-trimmed walks and driveways. It is pretty, but not extensive. Its dimensions are 50x50 feet, with an "L" about 25x25 feet. Its interior is divided into 15 rooms, with a wide hallway running through the center. It is 21/2 stories in height, with a well-finished besement. It is built of brick and stone. with cream-colored stucco finish. Dark brown trimmings give a tasteful aspect to the building, and the green blinds in the almost square windows, which are placed at regular intervals, form an agreeable contrast with the light yeilow background. At the front of the house are the conventional white pillars of colonial architecture, supporting a cosy portico, and at both ends are smaller porticoes, with fancy iron supports. A large glass window on the street side provides for house plants. The whole place bears an aspect that savors of the antique and secluded. A bedge surmounting an embankment six feet high shuts out the view from the avenue, and even at the occasional openings where walks and drives pierce the hedge only a meager view of the house is obtained, the thick foliage of the pines and elms and laurels almos hiding the house. The place is well equipped with an orchard, a garden for flowers and vegetables, a gardener's house and a well-appointed barn.

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CYCLE FOR WARFARE.

speed of firing can instantly be regu-

machine is of regulation bullet-proof that it will stand light artillery fire, though to make the safety of the autocarists even greater the men while firing are protected by cacemates similar to those used in the navy. The two men not actually engaged in regulating and sighting the guns find shelter below the armor belt, and when only one gun is in action the remaining gunner also retires behind the Harveyized steel plating of the machine's armor belt.

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SHIPPING ELEPHANTS BY RAIL. Why the Cars That Transport Pachyderms Are Made Secure.

"Do you know," said the retired ele-phant trainer, "why the big cars that transport elephants are made so secure and close?"

The reporter did not know.

"Well, I will tell you. I suppose you have observed that the cars have not a single opening except the strongly barred little windows at each end, which serve to admit the air? The cars are inspected regularly and if an opening large enough to admit an elephant's trunk is found the aperture is strongly boarded up. The elephant is the most inquisitive animal in existence. He will poke his nose in everything within reach. If he finds an opening in a car, out goes his trunk like a shot. He will sway it back and forth, apparently expecting the regular quota of peanuts that makes his life happy when on exhibition. An incident I recollect clearly, and which has resulted disastrously to Bornum & Bailey's big elephant Emperor, happened three years ago, when I was in the employ of the

"Section No. 3 of the circus train of five cars was running from Cleveland to Youngstown, O. We were within twenty miles of our destination. Every man on board the train was asleep except the regular employes of the railway company. I was suddenly awakened by a slight jar of the train, which was immediately followed by a succession of thumps, bumps, and jars. I heard the engineer give the signal to down breaks and judged one of the cars had jumped the track and was running over the ties. When I got off the train the trainmen, with torches, were already down on their hands and knees trying to locate the cause of the pecu-

"My attention was suddenly drawn to the car in which the big elephant Emperor was housed. I could faintly see a big snakelike body swaying back and forth under the car, and I grasped the situation at a glance. I called to the trainmen, telling them that I had located the cause of the sounds. I told the conductor to have the train run slowly and keep his eyes fixed under the car. When the train moved off the trunk of the big elephant fastened itself to a tie so firmly that the car almost left the track. The train was run about fifty yards and the mighty trunk of old Emperor caught every tie that he build conveniently hold on to. He was cunning enough, however, to let go like lightning when the strain grew so great that it threatened to pull his trunk out by the roots. So cleverly did be avoid being injured that when I examined him afterward there was not the vestige of a scar on his hide.

"I was on a circus train once when an elephant disloged a telegraph pole. which completely put the entire telegraph system out of order."-New York Mail and Express.

## Foiled Again.

"Ah," said Mr. Knight Start, the emotional tragedian, as he came in sight of a farmhouse, "maybap this worthy peasant will give some refreshment for the inner man. What, ho, there!

The worthy peasant gazed at the tragedian for a moment, and answered: "Yew durned fool, don't yew know a pitchfork frum a hoe?

And having thus spake, he disapneared within his abode.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## More Room.

Young Mrs. Fitts-The Trolleybys have such a jewel of a hired girl. Their floor is actually clean enough to eat

Young Mr. Fitts-By George, that ought to be right handy when he has to carve a drick.—Indianapolis Journal.

# HEART DISEASE.

SOME FACTS REGARDING THE RAPID INCREASE OF HEART TROUBLES.

Do Not be Alarmed, But Look For Canse.

Heart troubles, at least among Amercans, are certainly increasing and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry or American business life, it is more often the result of weak

stomachs, of poor digestion. Real organic heart disease is incurable. out not one case in a hundred of heart trouble, is organie

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by branches lated from 50 to 700 rounds per minute. of the same great nerves, the sympa-The armor covering the men and the I thetic and pneumogastric,

In another way, also the heart is affetthickness; in fact, experiments by the ed by that form of poor digestion, which British war office have demonstrated enuses gas and fermentation from half digested food: there is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Poor digestion alos poisons the blood, makes it thin and watery, which irri tates and weakens the heart. The most sensible treatment for heart

froubles is to improve the digestion and to insure the prompt assimilation of food. This can be done by the regular use,

after meals, of some safe, pleasant effective digestive preparation, like Stuart's soldiery was first broached to military Dyspepsia Tablets, which may be found t at most dr g stores and which contain valuable, harmless, digestive elements, in

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Chicora, Pa., "Herald:" Richard Vensel reports One Minute Cough Cure the greatest success of medical science. He told us that it cured his whole family of terrible coughs and colds, after all other so called cures had failed entirely. Mr. Vensel said it assisted his children through a very bad seige of measeles. tion very easy and rapid. W. D. Olney. 25 and 50 cents.

UNIQUE RIDE.

A Tralley Journey Through the Sewers

The main sewers of Paris are periodically cleared by means of scrapers carried on boats or ears. These conveysucces are also used for conveying visitors through the large sewers under the Rue de Rivoli and the Boulevards Sebastopol and De Malesherbes. These expeditions take place 14 times a year, in spring and autumn, and about 8,400 visitors are admitted yearly. Until 1894 these cars and boats were drawn by men, but the labor and expense were found to be so excessive that now the traction is done entirely by electric motors, taking current from accumulator batteries on the boats or cars. The "Genie Civil," which describes and illustrates the plant, says these main sewers are in section very similar to an ordinary tunnel; but in the floor is formed the rectangular channel for the sewage, while round the roof are fixed the water and compressed air mains. the telegraph and telephone wires, etc.

The sewer under the Boulevard de Malesherbes is the largest; it is 18 feet 4½ inches wide, 10 feet high from floor to roof; and the sewage channel in the floor is 3 feet 5¼ inches deep and 9 feet 10 inches wide. Boats are used in this channel. The other sewers are smaller, the channels in them being only 3 feet 11 inches wide, and from 3 feet 11 inches to 5 feet 7 inches deep. In these cars are run, the flanged wheels of the cars running on the edges of the channel, which are protected by angle-bars, and form the rails. The approximate weight of a train of five wars with 100 passengers on board is about 7 tons 12 hundredweight, and this travels at the rate of 3% miles per hour. The accumulator battery consists of 28 elements and weighs 14 hundredweight, and its capacity is 100 ampere-hours, with a mean discharge of 25 amperes at 50 or 60 volts. The motor, which is serieswound, develops two-horse power and runs at 1.600 revolutions per minute, this speed being reduced to 80 by means of a pinion and wheel and chain-gearing to the driving axle, the wheels being 15% inches in diameter on the tread. The boats are towed by means of a chain sunk in the sewage channel, which is brought to the surface and passes around a pulley driven by means of a double reduction gear from the motor. The chair, by means of guide pulleys, makes three-quarters of a turn around the driving pulley, this pulley being a magnetic one, magnetized by means of two coils, one on each side of it, on the axle.

Each passenger train consists of six boats, in the first of which is carried the accumulator battery and a towing epparatus; while in the last boat, which is smaller, there is another towing apparatus. The battery consists of 69 elements, giving an output of 60 amperes for 2½ bours, at from 93 to 125 volts: it is divided into two parts, which can be connected in series or parallel, as required. The motors run at 590 revolutions per minute; but this speed is reduced by means of the gearing. so that the boats travel at about 1½ miles per hour. The power required for this is from about two-horse power to 51/2-horse power, according as the boats are traveling with or against the current. The total length of the sewers open in this way to the public is about 2 miles, and they are lighted partly by lamps on the footpaths, or by o'l amps on the boats.—Par.s Letter.

## Value of Experience.

Fond Mother--Why, my dear, what is the matter?

· Daughter (recently married)-Boo, hoo! My husband don't lo-love me any more. He didn't kiss me when he came home, and he—he kept edging away from no whenever I went near him; and-and now he's in the library, and don't want-don't want to be disturbed -boo. too:

Fond Mother-Caim yourself, my dear. He loves you as much as ever, but I suggese be has taken a drin's and doesn't want you to know it .- N. Y. Neekly.

## When Priests Were Doctors. In ancient Payer the are an i practice

of medicine and Survey were confined to the priesthold. Each priest adopted a specialty. Evidences of the entidentistry revealed in the opening of tombs indicate that a high profit ency had been gained in at least one branch of dental art.—Detroit Free Press.

# North Carolina Senatorial Contest.

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 15 .- There is no change whatever in the senatorial situ ation to-day. Unless something unex pected happens. Pritchard will be reelected next Tuesday.

# The Grandest Remedy.

Mr. R. B. Greeve, merchaur of Chilhowie, Va., certifies that he had consumption, was given up to die, sought all medical treatment that money could procure, tried all cough remedies be could hear of, but got no relief; spent many nights sitting up in a chair; was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery. and was cured by use of two bottles. For past three years has been attending to business, and says Dr. King's New Discovery is the grandest remedy ever made, as it has done so much for him and also for others in his community. Dr. King's New Discovery is guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, and Consumption. It don't fail. Trial bottl sirre at McMonagle & Rogers' Drug Store.

## A Great Medicine Given Away.

J. J. Chambers, 57 North street, is now giving free to all a trial package of the great herbal remedy, Bacon's Celery King. It ladies suffering from nervous disorders and constipation will use this remedy they will soon be free from the headaches and backaches that have caused them so much suffering. It is a perfect regulator. It quickly cures biliousness, indigestion, eruptions of the Oue Minute Cough Cure makes exporta skin and an blood diseases. Large sizes RIGHT THERE.

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Cure it and you'll have peace. You can do it easily. By taking Doan's Kidney Pills.

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Middletown people are learning this

Wm. Dunlop, No. 32 Liberty street follows the occupation of a blacksmith and can be found during working hours at the factory belonging to the Condensed Milk Co. He says: "About seven years ago my kidney trouble commenced. At first it was only a backache now and then, by and by it became more frequent and the first thing I knew I had more of it than I cared for. So severe was it at times I could scarcely stand it. Soreness in the lower part of the abdomen set in and the urinary organs were deranged causing me to get up irequently at night and annoy meduring the day. My past efforts to get rid of my trouble failed me, but I determined to try again and I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at J. E. Mills drug store on North street. I am glad of the d termination for I know that Doan's Kidney Pills are all that is claimed of them. They cared me. I can conscientiously recommend them."

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# BENEFITS FROM CHANGE OF AIR.

Invalids Are Often Helped by Removal from Their Old Environments.

A very favorite last resort of the eighteenth century physician was to send a patient to visit the place of his birth. since it was thought that "natal air" would be likely to prove peculiarly beneficial. This last theory, although somewhat ludicrous when viewed from our modern standpoint, strikes me as being somewhat more than a mere piece of plausible empiricism. It shows that, in spite of the terrible faith in physic, the doctors in those days did not lose sight of the importance of conforming to nature's program.

Although the beneficial effect of sea voyages was to some extent recognized it is easy to understand that the ships of the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, damp and stuffy below and provisioned with salt junk and hard biscuits, scarcely gave a broken-down invalid a fair chance of deriving any great amount of good from a change of air taken under such conditions.

Generally speaking, we now consider that sea and mountain air owes its purities. Probably it is this quality more than any other which gives it its reviving effect on those who have been living in the clogged and polluted atmosphere of large towns. Yet purity of atmosphere is no preventive of those very allments which bring the majority of patients to seaside watering places and highland sanitariums. If any invalid who has thus sought relief were to take careful note of the natives of his favorite health resort he would probably be disquieted to find that pale, sickly children and ailing adults were by no means uncommon. Patients with weak lungs are often sent to winter in Devon and Cornwall, although the mortality from pulmonary diseases among the permanent residents of these favored counties is not a whit less than emong the dwellers in the midlands and the north. Yet the unfloubted fact temains to be accounted for that such migrants to warmer elimes almost alvays derive marked benefit from the change.—National Review.

# Sues for \$45,000 Salary.

Providence, Jan. 15 .- Joseph Banigan has begun a suit for \$45,000 against the United States Rubber company to recover an amount due him as salary in the office of president of the company and member of the executive committee.

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# PROCEEDINGS IN CONGRESS.

Homestead Bill, Passed by the Senate, May Have a Hard Road in the House.

Washington, Jan. 15.-No session of the senate is being held to-day, that body having adjourned until Monday. The action of the senate yesterday in passing the house bill for free homesteads on the public lands in Oklahoma territory was not unexpected, but the sweeping amendments adopted have occasioned much surprise, and it is believed that they can be forced upon the house only after a hard fight, if at all. The bill was first amended in a very important particular, by striking out the words in the "territory of Oklahoma," thus making it apply to all public lands acquired from the various Indian tribes. It provides that ail settlers on those lands shall be entiled to patents, on payment of the usual and customary fees, and that no further charge of any kind shall be required. It also provides, by another senate amendment, that all sums of money so released, which if not released would belong to any Indian tribe, shall be paid to such tribe by the United States.

## House of Representatives.

The oleomargarine bill has passed the house. Considerable opposition was developed, but it did not prove formidable on the yea and nay vote on the third reading, which the opponents of the measure accepted as final. The yeas were 126 and the nays 96. Some amendments to perfect the measure were agreed to without opposition. The bill makes oleomargarine and other imitation dairy products subject to the laws of the state and territory into which they are transported.

## SCHOOL AND CHURCH.

-Of 2,870 law students at the University of Paris 283 are foreigners, while of the 5.175 medical students the foreigners are 964, with 154 women.

 A protest against the degradation of the Scottish language by the Kailyard school of literature was made by the presiding officer at the recent meeting of the Scottish Text society. -At a recent meeting of the vestry of

St. George's Southwark, London, Miss A. Eliot, of Lancashire, was appointed sanitary inspector to the vestry by 22 votes to 16. There were 22 candidates, and she the only woman.

-The death has occurred at St. Kitts, W. I., of Rt. Rev. Charles James Branch, D. D., bishop of Antigua. Dr. Branch had devoted the whole of his ministerial life to work in the West Indies, and he was respected by all classes.

-The statistician of the United States estimates that the school population of this country-that is, the number of persons between the ages of five and eighteen years—is 20,099,383. Of this number there were enrolled in 1894 13,960.288 pupils in the district or publie schools, under the instruction of 388,-531 teachers. The average daily attendance of the pupils in these schools is 9,208,896.

-- Dr. Mair, who has been nominated moderator of the Established church of Scotland, and Prof. Davidson, who has been made moderator of the Free Kirk, were both born in the same year at Buchan, in Aberdeenshire; went to the same school, graduated in the same class at the University of Aberdeen, and will be put at the head of the two great divisions of Scottish Presbyterians on

-Sinte Barbc, one of the most famous high schools of Paris, founded in 1460 and the alma mater of Calvin and of Loyola, has been bought by the government for 2,000,000 francs. It is becoming constantly more difficult for private institutions to compete with the state establishments. Last year the Ecole monge, from which religious instruction was excluded, was turned over to the city of Paris and was rechristened Lycee Carnot. This year it is the turn of the Catholic college of Sainte

## NEW YORK MARKETS.

Wheat-Moderately active; irregular trading. Jan., 35%c.; May. 86%c., July, 82% c.

Corn-Spot dull and firm. Jan. 30%c.; May, 31%c.

Oats-Market quiet and steady. Jan. 22 4c.; May, 23 4c.

Eggs-Market steady; choice firm. State and Pennsylvania fresh, 1714@ 19c.: ice house. 13 a 15c.: western, fresh, 16@17c.; limed, 131, @14; south ern, 16@16 jc.; in case, \$1.50@\$3.30.

Pork-Market steady: trade easy. Extra prime, nominai, short clear, \$5.76@10.25; mess, \$8.50@8.75, family, \$9.50@10.00

Lard-Steady;/ moderate | demand. Prime western, \$4,271

Butter-Spot steady: fair demand. Creamery western extras, 20c.; state and Pennsylvania, extras, 150g19 .c.; creamery, western seconds. Dic.; state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fresh factory, 13c.: state dairy, half-firkin tubs, fall made extras. 18@19c.; western imitation creamery, seconds to firsts, 11@16c.: western factory, firsts to extras. 815@11c.

Cheese-Fair demand. State, full cream, large size, fall made, colored, 10%c.; targe, common to choice, part skims, 31/@71/c.

Potatoes-Market firm; good supply. Long Island, in bulk, per barrel, \$1.25@ 1.50; New Jersey, round, choice, per barrel, \$1.00@1.25.

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Many people imagine they can do things which they cannot; this is particularly true of habits like the tobacco or coffee habit. A person addicted to either of these habits may be one of such construction that the article used is poisonous to him, but they imagine they can use coffee (for instance) without any bad effect, for "thousands of people do," they reason. So the weak feeling or stomach trouble, or headache, is charged one day to the hot sun; the next day taking pains to avoid the sun, the old trouble shows up again, so as long as it is not the sun, "it must be something I have eaten, it'can't be coffee." Then follow some tests on diet, and still the trouble continues; every known reason will be thought of and experimented with, but they will not leave off the cofice, for they like it too well. To such it may be suggested that matters be looked squarely in the face. If you keep on with little ails caused by some unnatural cause you will surely come down sick unless the active cause is removed. Coffee contains poisonous alkaloids in small quantities which can be withsrood by a perfectly healthy adult, but which seriously affect those who are a little below par physically, or children.

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attend a settlement of such account.

In testimony, whereof, I have hereunto caused the seal of such County Court to be hereunto anived. Witness Hon, John [L s] J. Beattle, County Judge of Orange county, this thirty-first day of December 1988. W. G. TAGGART, Clerk. GEO. H. DECKER, Attorney for Assigner, dFr5tfebl

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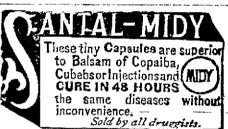
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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Hiram Selleck, late of the against the estate of Hiram Selleck, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, degensed, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the administrators of all and singular, the goods, elutitels and credits of said decensed, at the office of the, II. becker, No. 16 East Main street, in the city of Middletown, county of Orange, and State of New York, on or before the first day of July part

next. dWed6mJun00 MARY C. SELLECK, Admx.

# DRAWING OF JURORS.

Notice is hereby given that a joined of Pent Jurors, to serve at a County Court to be neld in and for the county of Or-ange, st the Count House, in Newborgh, on the second Monday of February, 1807, will be drawn at this office, on January 21, 1897, at 9 o'clock W. G. TAGGART, Clerk,

Do you want a Delicious | Drink a Cup of

Breakfast Beverage !) Suglery Made in a couple of minutes. Pure, Delicions COCOA.

# The People Cannot Be Deceived

The place to secure bargains in Carpets, Linolemn and Oil Cloths is the Carpet Bag Factory. You will find a large and select stock to make your selections from. Our prices for the next thirty days are very low. We want to dispose of these goods and think our prices will help to do it.

# MATTHEWS & CO.

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MIDDLETOWN, N. Y

P. S-When you want a trunk or bag remember you can save money by coming to us.

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Is hard work. You will find it much easier and just as cheap to

Telephone your order to us and keep warm without having to break your back; also

Lumber and Building Material. Baled Shavings.

IS CRANE & SWAYZE. 11 to 19 Montgomery St.

FACE

EVERY HUNGR From Pumples to Scrofula cured by Friedra Remains

RENOUNCE CARISTMAS.

lohammedans, Brahmins and Buddhists

Deny the Holiness of Christ.

There are millions upon millions of

eople in the world who will not cele-

wate Christmas, and there are other

nillions to whom Christmas is objec-

Take the followers of Mohammed,

or instance. They are divided into

40 or 50 different sects, among which

ire the Nousay-rie-yeh. There are

about 50,000 of them, and they believe

n transmigration of the soul. They

pelieve that men's souls pass after leath into the bodies of animals. For

hem the story of the birth and life

ionable, says the New York Herald.

## C. MACARDELL, JR.,

PUBLISHER. GEORGE H. THOMPSO? CITY EDITORS. ), F. ROLINSON. A. E. NICKINSON, -

The Treasury reports show that our exports exceeded our imports, last year, by \$306,315,032. This is the largest balance of trade ever shown in our favor.

Gov. Black's caution to the Legislature to "go easy" on the State Trensury has no effect on Republican legislators. Yesterday, they fairly tumbled over each other in their auxiety to get in their grab bills, and although the session lasted only twenty-five minutes bills approprinting \$1,552,971 of the public money were introduced.

The Republican legislative caucus, last night, nominated Thomas C. Platt for Senator by a vote of 142 to 7 for Joseph H. Choate. The nomination was made unanimous. Senator Pavey presented Choate's name in a very eulogistic speech, but not a word was said in praise of Platt. It wasn't necessary. The machine had corraled the votes and with the votes in hand there was no need of folsome eulogy.

The House of Representative- passed, yesterday, a bill making cleomargarine and all other imitation dany products subject to the laws of the State or Territory into which they may be transported. It is expected that under this act the laws of the various states against the sale of imitation dairy products can be made effective. The right to sell in the original package, as maintained by the courts under the interstate commerce act, practically nullified all local laws for the stamped covers were removed from the original packages as soon as they reached the hands of retailers who then sold the imitation as genuine butter.

The beer inspection bill introduced. yesterday, by Assemblyman Horton provides for the appointment of two inspectors in each of the four inspection districts into which the State is to be divided, whose duty it shall be to draw \$2,500 a year salary for five years, sample at least once a year the product of each brewery and m a general way see that only good beer is sold. The job will prove a very attractive one to a great many thousand Republicans, whose reputations as judges of beer are so well established that there will be no need of putting them through a civil service examination to test their qualifications as beer tasters.

EPWORTH LEAGUE'S RECEPTION

## 🔔 Very Pleasant Event at St. Paul s Church Last Evening.

The Epworth League of St. Paul's M E. Church gave a reception, last might ato the new members-those who had joined the league, since Dr. Wilson became the pastor of the church.

As the new members arrived at the door they were decorated with badges and became the guests of honor for the evening. The leteture room was filled with members of the league and their

A pleasing programme was rendered. An instrumental quartett, composed of Miss Lottie Wells, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Predmore, and W. I. French was the opening namifer. This was followed by a piano duett by Misses Lulu and Hattie Davenport, a song, with gmtar accompaniment by Miss Armstrong and a humorous dialogue by Mrs. A. T. Decker, and Onver Hill, entitled "What's the matter with Hannah?"

A silver collection was taken up, after which rateshments were served and a very pleasant social hour was enjoyed by all present.

# A BOY FATALLY INJURED.

# Crushed by Falling Timbers While

Watching the Slaughter of an Ox, Philip E istman, the nuc-year-old son or D. T. Lastman, or Layingston, Manor, was ratally injured at that place Wed-

S. Werblonsky purchased an ox, which was to be killed. The slaughter house not being high enough, three large timbers were placed in position in the form. of a tripod and the ox drawn up. The ox in his mantic efforts to escape broke one of the ropes which held the timbers together precipitating the three timbers as one upon the trail body of young Lastman, who was watching the operation, crushing the boy to earth.

With the united efforts of the men who had gathered to witness the killing of the ox the boy was extracated from under the heavy mass of tumbers, and his almost liteless body was picked up and taken to his home

# Arrested for Stealing Coal.

Two Eric detectives and Officer Taulknor arrested four men at the Summer. this afternoon, for stealing coal-

They are William and Matthias Matthews W. W. Fredericks and Charles Adgate. They have not yet had a hearmg

# A Bridegroom Serenaded.

The 24th Separate Company Band, of which C. H. Berg is a member, serenaded him and his bride at their home in Linden Block, last might

ALMOST BROKE THE RECORD. BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY, Jan. 15 .- One hundred and three bills were introduced in the Assembly, yesterday, the largest number in one day, except one, ever known.

SILK WEAVERS ON STRIKE. BY UNITED PRESS.

oily, mothy skin, itching, scaly scalp, dry, thin, and falling hair, and baby blemishes prevented by Curicura Soar, the most effective skin purifying and beautifying soap in the world, as well as purest and sweetest for toilet, bath, and nursery. PATERSON, Jan. 15,-About 200 employes of the Golden Rod silk mills have struck against a reduction of wages.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

## A Verdict for \$1,600 against the P. J., M. and N. Y. Railroad-The Law In Such Cases.

GOSHEN, Jan. 15.-The jury in the cases of C. 1. Van Inwegen against the P. J., M. and N. Y. Railroad Co., after being out all night, rendered a verdict of \$1,300 for damage to woodland and of \$309 for the cordwood burned.

Two suits in which Samuel J. Van Inweren is plaintiff involve the same facts as were at issue in the cases just decided. This action was brought to recover damages under the rule laid down by the Court of Appeals in N. Y. Reports, No. 115. O Neili against the N. Y., O. and W R. R. Co. This case was brough by Wil liam F. O'Neill. Esq., of this city, and was fought through to the Court of Appeals, where the principle involved was established, the rule which had obtained

In Ryan's case the defendant railroad

company through their own negligence

set fire to a building on its own property,

which communicated fire to Ryan's

building, 150 feet distant, which was

destroyed. It that case the court

ruled that the damage was too re-

mote to be connected with the rail-

road company's acts and dismissed the

case. The principle established in the

case of O Neill against the N. Y., O. and

W. R. R. Co. is that no damage is too

remote, which can be clearly traced as

resulting from the negligent acts of the

railroad company. The principle as laid

down in O'Neill vs. N. Y., O. and W. R.

R Co, has been followed by numerous

subsequent cases, and is now universally

recognized as the law governing actions

resulting from negligently setting fire in

DR, GEORGE ALLEN PROMOTED.

Appointed Medical Superintendent of

the Collins State Homeopathic Hose

At a meeting of the managers of the

Collins State Homeopathic Hospital at

Collins Farm, New York, Jan. 13th, Dr.

George Allen, First Assistant Physician

at the Middletown Hospital, was ap-

pointed Medical Superintendent. The

Dr Allen has been connected with the

Middletown State Hospital since May.

1890, and has fairly earned the pro-

motion that has just been tendered him,

for he has been careful, earnest and pro-

gressive and his heart has always been

in his work and he has never faltered in

his purpose to do all and everything that

was possible for the unfortunates com-

WANT THE "LAW ON HIM-"

Red Hook's Bealth Board Will Try to

Have Dr. Silliman Indicted.

that the Board of Health of the town or

Red Hook will seek to have Rev. George

D. Silliman, of Albany, indicted by the

Dutchess County Grand Jury, next week,

for removing his son from St. Stephen's

College, at Annaudale in defiance of the

orders of the local health authorities,

who had quarantined the boy because

it was supposed he had diphtheria. Dr.

Silliman's defense is that the boy did not

have diphtheria, and in this he says he is

OBITUARY.

Edith Adele Robbins.

Eduth Adde Robbins, daughter of the

late Sapervisor Albert G. Robbins, of

Hamptonburgh, died, Wednesday, at the

home or her undle, Dr. W. V. Randall, in-

Brooklyn, aged twenty years and two

months. The tuneral was held at Wash-

The sectional building used as a photo-

graph gallery at Midway Park, last

summer, was brought to this city, and

set up, to-day, on East Main street near

Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know

the tired out nervous system to a healthy

vigor is Eelectric Bitters. This medicine

is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone

to the nerve centres in the stomach,

gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys.

and aids these organs in throwing off

impurities in the blood. Eelectric Bit-

ters improves the appetite, aids diges-

tion, and is pronounced by those who

have tried it as the very best blood puri-

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50c, or \$1,00 per bottle at McMonagle

A torpid liver means a bad complexion,

bad breath, indigestion and frequent

headaches. To avoid such companions

take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the

famons little pils W. D. Olney

& Rogers' Drug Store.

ingtonville, this morning

Moved from Midway Park.

Academy avenue.

sustained by the State Health Board.

The Poughkeepsie News-Press says

mitted to hiscore.

appointment is take effect March 1st.

Court adjourned sine die.

this State.

of Christ has no charms. Then there are the Druses, who proup to that time as laid down in Ryan less to have knowledge that God has against the H. R. R. R. Co. being rerisited the world 234 times, but they versed. It is now the leading case in no not believe in Christ. For them this class of actions, and has established Christmas has no significance. the law which applies to them.

It is equally disregarded by Buddhists, Japanese, Chinese, Brahmins ind Mohammedans. "There is no God out Allah," says the Mohammedans, 'and Mohammed is His prophet." Monammed's fololwers also have curious actions in regard to the fate of the unrelievers' children. Some believe that these children act as the servants of he faithful in Paradise, and Mohamned is recorded as saying on one ocrasion to his wife:

"If thou desirest I can make thee near their cries in hades."

Other Mohammedan authorities, aowever, dissent from this view, and one of them boldly says: "I know that Allah will not torment those who have not committed any sin."

## DRAW HIM OUT.

# The Finest Art of Flirtation is Adapta-

The finest art of flirtation is adaptaoility, says Lippincott's. I do not mean altogether to mold one's self after the mind or mood of the object of one's folicitude, but as rapidly as possible to discover the broad lines of his or her sharacter and disposition, then, with the courage of a military leader, turn the force of our friend, the enemy, in that channel which may best please one's own intelligence and purpose. With a little executive ability, and, in case the object be a man, just a tinge of judicious flattery, this can be accomplished. Sometimes, of course, we run our heads against a stone wall; then something must go, and it is generally not the wall. This is as fatiguing a process in the mental faculties as standing on tiptoe is to the muscles of the foot; but the mental exercise, tike the athletic, has its advantages. The rider of one hobby has generally another in training, if not in actual use; and the man who cannot make aimself interesting on either of the subjects that most absorb his own interests is not worth one's solicitude. and therefore proves nothing. "Suppressed stupidities avail themselves of extraordinary opportunities to come to 'ight," says Heine. But there are few people in the world, except those who Ly undue garrulousness give an unnecessarily emphasized illustration of unbecility, and will not, if taken in the right spirit and treated with a certain indulgence, prove entertaining from

Like Other Medicine. Penelope-I hear you are engaged to Miss Dingbatts at last.

one standpoint or another.

Reginald-Yes; she refused me six times, but I persevered. Penelope-Then you were well shaken

before taking.-Harlem Life.

High Order of Wit. "Well," said the kite to the small boy, "I guess I will have to admit that you have me on the string. And that,' continued the kite, "is what makes me soar."-Indianapolis Journal.

you go to buy Hood's Sarsaparilla. There is no substitute for Hood's. It is an insult to your intelligence to try to seel you something else. Remember tha air efforts to induce you to buy an article

# that the very best medicine for restoring , you do no want, are based samply

dealer or eler's who does this cares nothing for your wehare. He samely wants your money. Do not perm t yourself to be deceived. Insist upon havi g

# Sarsaparilla

Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

# HOUSEKEEPING LINENS.

The remarkable values we are offering in these goods are deserving of your early attention. Special this week-One lot Muslin Sheets, made from a strong cloth, torn and ironed, at 45 cents.

Remember what we are doing for you in Cloaks. All this season's goods at \$3 89 each. An early call is a winner.

## & TOWNER. CARSON

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# **BIG BARGAINS!**



In Ready-made Clothing Remember we allow 25 per cent, off from regular prices for the next thirty days. We want money and the people want the goods at the prices we offer them for. Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's Hats, Caps, Gloves and Mittens, Underwear, Hoslery and Cardigan Jacket Sweaters.

## MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT!

Remember we are offering special inducements to any one wishng an Overcoat, Suit or Extra Trousers made to order. Trunks Satchels, Umbrellas and Rubber Clothing at

# ADAMS,

Leading Hatter and Clothier, No. 41 North Street.

## MAKE WE

The Dull Season Lively

# by Offering

Ten cases new staple goods bought last week, at cost rates.

Muslins 5, 6, 7c; best Calicos, 5, 6c; Silkaline Bed Comfortables \$1.35, reduced from \$2; Bed Blankets 59c, 75c, 89c.

Dress Goods Patterns at \$1.50, \$1.69, \$1.88, \$2.15, \$2.79, worth one-third more.

Ladies' aud Children's Hose 10c, 12c, 15c,—plain as d fleeced.

UNDERWEAR-50 kinds.

# H. E. CHURCHILL & CO.

No. 39 North Street.

# On Saturday Next

and each succeeding Saturday, each customer will receive A USEFUL PRESENT. Our Ment is high gridle and our prices are moderate, and subsfac-tion guaranteed to everyone. Our Home-tured Hams and Bacon are very fine.

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cannot be beat in quality or price—So, in order to introduce them and convince the people, will give free to every one who buys a pound of our 500 Tea or five pounds of our superior (office, an element After Duner (office Cup and Saucer—We give no checks, but the present itself.—Don't fail to avail yourself of this office.

# MEDRICK'S,

124 and 126 East Main street

No. 25 North Street

Entire stock marked down to half and less to move it quickly before inventory.

necessitates quick REDUCTIONS before inventory clearance.

Call and be convinced.

# 25 North Street.

the season for the sale of Coats and Capes is nearly past. We have only a few left, in good sizes, to dispose of. We would like to see them go before Feb, 1st, therefore see them If they suit you name your price.

# Goods!

A lot of dress lengths to be closed out at one-half the cost to manufacture; all good styles and

# Umbrellas!

We re-cover your (old) umbrella while you wait, -ask to see how it is done.

# D. HORTON, AGT.,

No. 27 West Main Street.

# The New Firm IS READY FOR BUSINESS

with a fine stock of Vegetables, Lettuce, Celery Red and White Omons, White and Yellow Tur mps, Rutabugus Beets, Carrots, Parsnips, Cabbage, Flue Sweet Potatoes, Oranges and Bunanus, Malaga and Catawha Grapes at the old stand.

The very best the market af-Too much stock on hand fords for canary birds. Don't give the sweet singers any kind of seed; quality should be the first consideration. Purchased in original bags and put up in boxes, mixed and plain.

# LIPFELD J.E.MILLS, Druggist Morris B. Wolf,

North St., Middietown.

## MANFORD & MORTON.

to quality and the world is full of cheap things, but with your eyes wide open the really good papers are not so plentiful. But these you can always depend on.

-Our Irish Linen Paper at 32 cents a pound.

-Onr "Bargain Box" of 60 sheets, only 38c. -Our "Rich Cream" Box-

usual quantity-25c. -Our line of Hurd's, Crane's and Whiting's Fine Stationery in

correct styles. -Engraved Visiting Cards promptly furnished from new or old plates.

# Hanford & Horton, No. 6 North St., Middletown.

10 PER CENT. DISCOUNT

# Overcoats, 'l'rousers!

The winter is not over yet, but made to order in our Custom Department.

> All Ready-made Overcoats and Ulsters at reduced prices.

Fleece-lined Underwear at cost.

All Heavy Goat and Siberian Dog Robes at cost.

# W. YOUNG. GEO.

"The Hub" Shoe Store,

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Men's Rubbers 45c, Buckle Arctics 75c, Men's Felt Boots and Perfection Overs, Good Quality \$1.75.

# HAVE YOU Colored Spots, Aches, Old Sores, Ulcers in Mouth, Hair-Failing! Write COOK REMEDY CO., 807 Masonic Temple; Chicago, Ill., for proofs of cures. Capical, \$500,000. Worst cases cured in 15 to 35 days. 100-page book free-

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Ready.

10 North Street.

C. E. CRAWFORD FURNITURE CO.

# Ladies' and Misses' Desks Left Over.

We bought 100 Oak and Birch Ladies' and Misses' Desks for the Holidays. We have 25 left and we will close them out at the rediculously price of

**\$**2.39.

Don't all speak at once

# C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.

44-46 North Street. Middletown.

### SCOLDED, WE'RE Mildly

by some of our good housekeeping friends for not saying more about the excellence of Our Own Make Baking Powder, which we are selling in bulk at 30 cents a pound. They say it's fully equal to any of the highest price baking powders and they wonder how we can sell it at so low a price. We can only say that it is a pure Cream Tartar Baking Powder containing neither alum nor 'phosphate and we doubt if a better article can be purchased at any price.

## ROGERS, McMONAGLE &

30 North St. and 155 North St (North Side Pharmacy.)

# EGG MAKERS.

# **Bowker's Poultry Supplies**

They are good. They are pure.

They are cheap.

# Bowker's "Animal Meal'

Grit,

Meat Scrap, Bone Meal,

Ground Bone, Ground Oyster Shells.

# Houston Bros., General Agents

# FOR SALE

The fine farm known as the Sinclair place near The fine farm known as the Sinclair place near Bloomingburgh, in Orange county, on the Newburgh turnpike. The farm contains about 225 acres, 70 acres of which are planted with 11,000 peach trees just coming in full bearing, and nearly \$2,000 netted from the crop last year. The farm is in good state of cultivation and will keap fifty cows. Good outbuildings and house contains thirteen rooms. A complete stock of farm implements in good condition will be sold with the farm. This farm has fine water, is well situated, fine view on the Shawangunk Mountains and location an exceptionally healthy one. Will be sold at a bargain.

GARDNER & MCWILLIAMS, NORTH ST | parilla.

# DAILY ARGUS.

FRIDAY, JAN. 15, 1897.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS' IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

> WEATHER INDICATIONS. BY UNITED PRESS

Washington, Jan. 15. — Threatening weather and light local snow: clear-

ing Saturday; light easterly winds; slight-

THE TEMPERATURE. The following was the registry of the thermon 7 a. m., 24°; 12 m., 30°; 3 p. m., 30°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

-Jan. 15 29-Bachelor Club hops. Jan. 19.—Literary Club's lecture, "Ancient French Art." by Charence Cook at Mrs. H. K. Wilcox's, 2:30 p. m.

-Jan. 20-Monhagen Hose Co.'s "stag," at truck house. -Jan. 21-" My Friend from India," at Casino. -Jan. 23.—Gorton's celebrated minstrels under the management of George Lea. -Feb. 1-6-McQuoid Engine Co.'s fair, at As sembly Rooms.

Jan. 20 -Social by Ladies' Auxiliary of the B. of L. E. Feb. 2-Officers' supper Waalkill Engine Co.

Jan. 2.—At the Assembly Rooms, "An Evening With Jur Grandmothers' Songs," under the auspices of the Universalist Ludies' Aid Society.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

-Towels il centa up at Geo. B. Adams & Co.'s
- Clearing sale of shoes at C. D. Hanford's. - My Friend from India," at Casino, Jan. 21 -Spring styles of bats at Morris Wolf's. -New goods for Saturday at Bull & Young-blood's.

-Fresh stock canary seed at J. E. Mills'. Bargalus in groceries at C. N. Predmore 3 -Clocks \$3.59 ar Carson & Towner's

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

sino, next Monday evening.

-"My Friend from India, at the Casino, on Thursday night. -"A Trip to Chinatown" at the Ca-

-The New Berlin condensery is now shipping a carload of condensed milk every day.

-Eight candidates have filed applications for examination for a vacancy in Newborgh's police force.

-The Newburgh Mænnerchor celebrated the thirty-fifth anniversary of its organization, last night.

-Ewald Bros. have orders enough on hand to keep their shoe factory at Deckertown running for a long time.

-Newburgh singers will produce the "Pirares of Penzance" during Easter week, for the benefit of St. Luke's Hos-

-A new dealer in coal in Deposit has made competition so red hot that coal is being sold there for only five cents a ton above cost price.

-Henry H. Tracey, a well known citizen of Oxford, Chenango county, died there. Wednesday, from the effects of injuries sustained in a runaway accident.

-All the physicians of the town of Fishkill have united in a movement to organize a general hospital, in which no lines shall be drawn between different schools of medicine.

-The Wantage Recorder says that Ben Van Fleet, who wanted the police to arrest the man who ran away with his wife, has often told his tales of woe to Deckertown's officials.

- An oyster supper and entertainment will be given at the home of Mrs. Arkills. 119 North street, this evening. Jan. 15, by the members of Orange Trust Lodge, No. 477, I. O. G. T. Supper 25 cents. All are cordially invited to at-

-You are taking no chances if you go to the Casino, Monday night," to see "A Trip to Chinatown," The company is this week at the Star Theatre, and come directly from there to Middletown. Laura Digger appears as the widow and Burt Haverly as Welland Strong. There is to be no advance in prices.

## PERSONAL.

-Miss NellieC. Purdy is visiting friends in Newburgh.

-W. B. Royce, Esq., went to Albany,

this morning, on legal business. -Miss Jennie Hallock, of Passaic, i visiting her sister, Mrs. C. H. Sharp.

-Mrs. B. L. Beebe went to New York. this morning, for a few days' visit with

-Misses Minnie and Nellie Ferguson, of Port Jervis, are visiting relatives and triends in this city.

-Mrs. Conkling and daughter. Mrs. Thomas C. Brink, of Washingtonville. are visiting Mrs. Belle Banker, to-day. -Miss Henrietta Scott, of Brooklyn.

who has been visiting her daughter. Mrs. George E. Wallace, returned home to-

-Misses Mollie and Lottie Gemp, o Brooklyn, are visiting their brother. William Gemp, of the Ontario House, at the North End.

-(larence DeHart, of Brooklyn, is in this city on a few days' visit to the family of his uncle, A. C. Bowers, No. 17 Hanford street.

-Coroner John J. Perrott and Miss Mary Powell, both of Newburgh, were married in that city, yesterday, at the home of the bride, 756 Broadway.

-The Deckertown Independent says that George Armstrong, of Middletown visited his sister, Mrs. H. C. Truex, on Monday. Also that Mrs. J. H. Smith, of Middletown, is a guest at the home of her brother, Ora Harden.

## Joined the Bear Hunters,

Officer Rensselar W. Wilson, who has a great reputation as a successful bear hunter with a record of three killed in Thursday. There were five tables. The one day, has joined the pursuit of the bear seen near Winterton.

You can't be well if your blood is impure, but you may have pure blood and good health by taking Hood's Sarsa-

THE BEAR HUNT AT WINTERTON

'Jerry" Barnes the Only Member of the Hunting Party Who Got a Shot at Bruin -Fired at Him Five Times, But the Bear Still Lives to Be Shot at Again-The Bunt Resumed To-day.

Recorder-elect J. E. Barnes had his first shot at a bear, yesterday; in fact he had his first five shots, for he burned that much ammunition in fruitless attempts to lay bruin low. Guided by the directions given by the

O. and W. train crew, who first saw the bear, "Jerry," "Jake" Gunther, John Wilkin and "Dick" Sliter had no difficulty in locating the swamp in whose recesses the bear was said to have disappeared.

The hunters surrounded the swamp and Mr. Gunther, who has had much experience in hunting large game, volunteered to drive the bear out of its hiding place. Several hours were spent in a vain search and "Jerry," who had been placed on guard at the western extremity of the swamp, was growing cold and disgusted and much inclined to believe that the whole story was a fake, when he was startled by the appearance of the bear on a ridge two hundred yards directly north of him.

Corporal "Jerry" was armed with one of the old style Remington rifles, which is used in practice on the 24th Armory range, and from which the front sight had been removed. He was warned by Armorer Rose to "aim high" as the gun 'shot low." Following instructions, 'Jerry" "aimed high," and much to his digust saw that his bullet had struck the ground, just where he had aimed, a foot over the bear's head. He quickly reloaded and fired again just as the bear disappeared behind the ridge. "Jerry" hastened to the spot and was rewarded by see ing bruin again, but at least 300 yards away and "still a-goin'." He blazed away, the bullet striking the ground just in front of the game, causing it to rise on its haunches and snort his defiance at the hunter. Away he sped again and had two more shots at him both of which were ineffective. The bear then disappeared in a swamp covered with a dense growth of laurels.

The other hunters had been attracted by the sound of "Jerry's" rifle and they soon gathered round him. They beat about the swamp, but failed to start the game again, and as darkness was approaching, all agreed to at the bear would remain where he was until to-day, when the light snow which had begun to fall, would render tracking an easy matter.

Early this morning the party started for the bear grounds and "Jerry," who is armed with another rifle, insists that if he has another chance, he will have a different tale to tell.

## THE UNION MEETINGS.

Interesting Discourse by Rev. Dr. Robinson and Remarks by Rev. Dr. Beattle

The services at the Second Presbyterian Church were led by Dr. Robinson, Thursday, who preached from the text: "Thy People Shall Be Willing in the Day of Thy Power." He showed why willing ness to do God's work should be manifest in christians. It tells of the power of God in the heart. The call of duty is the call of God and should be done joyfully and it will be if love is the motive power. This kind of service inspired

Dr. Wilson led in prayer and then Dr. Beattie remarked that the success of these meetings depends on the corrying out of the suggestions of the speakers and also those which come to our own hearts. Probably something specific has already come to our minds. It may be simply to ask some one to come to the meetings; whatever it may be let us act on it at once.

After a hymn had been sung Rev. Mr Heath pronounced the benediction.

## A BABY CONTEST.

A Middletown Baby Pretty Enough to Have Its Portrait in a New York Paper

The New York Evening Journal has a baby contest on hand, having offered valuable prizes for the prettiest babies born in 1896. Each day it publishes the names of a number of babies whom the prize bady editor regards as pretty enough to receive special mention, and also a group of pictures of several or the prettiest babies. In last evening's issue appears the portrait of Helen Louise, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. E. Raasch, of this city. She is pretty enough to be a prize winner.

## Escaped from Ludlow Street Jall.

William H. Post, formerly of New burgh, but of late driver of a mail wagon in New York, pleaded guilty, yesterday, to robbing the mails in his charge, and was remanded for sentence. Early in the evening he, with three other prisoners. escaped from Ludlow Street jail. The escape was a very bold one, and the nerve displayed by the prisoners excite the admiration of the authorities.

## Excelsior's Social.

Excelsior's social, which will be held in the Assembly Rooms, Monday evening, will be entirely informal, tollowing the custom of the company when the affairs are held in its own parlors. The usun programme of whist, refreshments and dancing will be carried out.

# A Whist Party.

Mrs. O. H. Brown entertained a number of friends at whist at the Russell House lady's prize, a writing desk set, was won by Miss Eleanor B. Royce and the gentleman's prize, an ink stand, by George II.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The famous little pills

Highest of all in Leavening Strength.-Latest U. S. Gov't Report. THE O. AND W. MUST PAY, The Judgment in the Sherwood-Me-

Grath Calt Case Affirmed-No Further

The Appellate Division of the Supreme

Court at Albany, Tuesday, affirmed the

judgment obtained by Webster Sherwood and W. H. McGrath against the O. and

W. Company, in their suit to recover

damages for delay in the delivery of a

carload of seventy-four caives shipped

from Livingston Manor, July 4th, 1893.

The train was delayed, and the culves did not reach New York until too late

for the market of July 5th, and were

sold at a loss, the price having fullen and

the calves having shrunk in weight be-

The shippers asked for \$100 damages,

and when this was not allowed sued in

Justice's Court and were given judgment

for \$170 and costs. The railroad com-

pany claimed that the train was una-

voidably delayed and that shippers had

signed a release. Sherwood and Mc-

Grath admitted having signed releases

in blank in the course of their business as

drovers, but denied having released the

calves. The railroad appealed the case,

and at County Court a verdict of \$176

was rendered. This judgment was re-

versed on appeal and a new trial ordered,

which resulted in a verdict for \$203.75.

From this the company appealed, and it

is this judgment that has just been af

The case cannot be carried farther.

The judgment with interests and costs

now amounts to over \$700. It is un-

derstood that one reason why the rail-

earnestly was because a number of simi-

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHRISTIAN UNION

Organized, Last Night, by the Young

Universalist Church met last evening.

with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gibbs, 122

West Main street. A "Young People's

Christian Union," (the general name of

the Young People's Societies of Univer-

salist Churches) was organized. A con-

stitution was adopted and the officers

elected are: President, Miss Florence

Freeman; Vice President, Miss Lena

Lewis: Secretary, Wilfred Woodhead

After the business session the com-

pany was favored with songs by Miss

Lena Lewis and Miss Laura Mullen.

with selections on violin and plane by

Miss Lottie Wells and Miss Mullen and

with recitations by Miss Myrta Gibbs

aud Miss Florence Freeman. Refresh-

ments were served by the genial host

THE PRINTERS' MASQUERADE.

Very Large Attendance, a Great Va-

riety of Costumes and a Good Time

The printers' masquerade at the As-

sembly Rooms, last night, was success-

ful beyond the expectations of its mana-

gers. There were eighty couples in the

grand march, and there were a large

There was a great variety of costumes,

some displaying much ingenuity in their

conception and skill in their construc-

tion: some were handsome, others just

the reverse, while the majority were got-

ten up only with the idea of disguising

music, and dancing was kept up until a

A Rumor Concerning Milk Freights,

McWilliams's orchestra furnished the

A rumor is current that the Inter-State

Commerce Commission has at last de-

cided the milk freight case, which was

argued a year ago. The decision is said

to fix the rates at twenty cents a can for

the first hundred miles, forty cents for

the second hundred and sixty cents for

the third hundred. Although the origin

of this report cannot be learned it is be-

Residents of the "west end" of War-

wick village have organized a hose com-

pany with thirty-eight members, which

they have named Raymond Hose, No. 2.

after the president of the corporation

that owns the hose factory. Mr. Ray-

mond has offered the company quarters

rent free for five years, 500 feet of hose

The committee in charge of the bene

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lousness, Indigestion, Headache.

Easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

The Benedicts' Hop To-night.

the benedicts will have attention.

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number of spectators.

the wearers.

ate hour.

lieved by many.

and \$25.

Treasurer, Mrs. Wilbur E. Lutes.

People of the Universalist Church.

The young people connected with the

firmed.

this case.

and hostess.

cause they were without food.

Appeals Possible.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

The Trolley Waiting Boom Burglarized -St. James' Guild Entertainment -Dikeman's Social-Slipped an Eccentric-"The Drummer Boy"-To Lecture at Washingtonville - Personal and Local Notes. From Our Recular Correspondent.

-S. P. Dusenberry's trolley waiting room was burglarized, last night or early this morning. Entrance was enected through one of the side windows. Three boxes of cigars and \$3.50 in money were stolen. Nothing else of value seems to be missing.

-At the residence of Mrs. Wilmot P. Thompson, next Tuesday evening, an entertainment will be given for the benefit of St. James' Guild. A dramatized version of "Bluebeard" will be presented by the young members of the Sunday School and refreshments will be served. -The regular monthly social of Dike-

road company contested the case so man Hose Company was held in the company's parlors, last evening. About eighty members and friends of the comlar claims were dependent on the result of pany were present and all report a very pleasant time. The following programme was a feature:

Refreshments were then served, after which dancing was continued until a late hour. The next social will be held in 15c each. February. -Frank A. Merriam, of Chicago, has

been spending a few days in town, this -Miss Florence Bacon entertained the Ladies' Whist Club, yesterday afternoon.

-Elliott Hook and Ladder Company will give an entertainment at Music Hall, on the evening of the 28th inst. Addresses will be made by Rev. F. A. Crane and Rev. Geo. C. Betts.

-Mrs. S. T. Matthews and daughter will leave Gosben, this week, for a short stay in New York city. -Engine.783 or the "pick up" train

slipped an eccentric and became stalled at Goshen, last night. Train 22 went out on the west bound track. -Tickets for the "Drummer Boy" will be placed on sale, to-day, at Power & Co.'s. The drama will be given Thurs-

day and Saturday evenings, Feb. 4 and 6,

at Music Hall. On Saturday afternoon,

Feb. 6. a matinee will be given for the children with an admission of ten cents. 50c grade at 39c each. Satur--Rev. R. B. Clark will deliver his day's price 39c each. lecture, "Smiles vs. Guiles," at Washingtonville, for the benefit of the Christian Endeavor Society there on Tuesday

evening, Jan. 21. —The dancing class of Misses Morgan and Whidden gave a soirce, last night, at the home of Miss Morgan.

-Ed. Farnum has secured a position in New York city and began his duties. Wednesday.

state Hospital Superintendent's Measure Strength.

Dr. Allison, of the Matteawan State Hospital, and Dr. Pilgran, of the Hudson River State Hospital at Poughkeep sie, were candidates. Wednesday, for the honor of representing the Dutchess County Medical Society at the State Society's annual meeting. The contest was a hot one and Dr. Allison won by a vote of 17

## Real Estate Sales.

-The farm of the late David Lozier, in Sparta, Sussex county, containing 165 acres, was sold at executors' sale, Monday, for \$9 an acre.

-The farm of the late James Lewis, in Stillwater, N. J., consisting of 199 acres of fine land and extensive buildings, was sold at auction by the executors, in Newton, on Monday, to George Lewis, for \$36 per acre.

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FRIDAY, JAN, 15, 1897.

C. MACARDELL, JR.,

EDITOR. GEORGE H. THOMPSO." J. F. ROI INSON, A. E. NICKINSON, CITY EDITORS.

The Treasury reports show that our exports exceeded our imports, last year. by \$306,315,032. This is the largest balance of trade ever shown in our favor.

Gov. Black's caution to the Legislature to "go easy" on the State Treasury has no effect on Republican legislators. Yesterday, they fairly tumbled over each other in their auxiety to get in their grab bills, and although the session lasted only twenty-five minutes bills approprinting \$1,552.971 of the public money were introduced.

The Republican legislative caucus, last night, nominated Thomas C. Platt for Senator by a vote of 142 to 7 for Joseph H. Choate. The nomination was made unanimous. Senator Pavey presented Choate's name in a very eulogistic speech, but not a word was said in praise of Platt. It wasn't necessary. The machine had corraled the votes and with the votes in hand there was no need of iolsome enlogy.

The House of Representatives passed, yesterday, a bill making oleomargarine and all other imitation dairy products subject to the laws of the State or Territory into which they may be transported. It is expected that under this act | the law which applies to them. the laws of the various states against the sale of imitation dairy products can be made effective. The right to sell in the original package, as maintained by the courts under the interstate commerce act, practically nullified all local laws for the stamped covers were removed from the original packages as soon as they reached the hands of regenuine butter.

The beer inspection bill introduced, yesterday, by Assemblyman Horton provides for the appointment of two inspectors in each of the four inspection [ districts into which the State is to be divided, whose duty it shall be to draw \$2,500 a year salary for five years, sample at least once a year the product of each brewery and in a general way see that only good beer is sold. The job will prove a very attrac tive one to a great many thousand Republicans, whose reputations as judges of beer are so well established that there will be no need of putting them through a civil service examination to test their qualifications as beer tasters.

EPWORTH LEAGUE'S RECEPTION

## A Very Pleasant Event at St. Paul Church Last Evening.

The Epworth League of St. Paul's M E. Church gave a reception, last night ato the new members—those who had joined the league, since Dr. Wilson became the pastor of the church

As the new membes arrived at the door they were decorated with budges and became the guests of honor for the evening. The leteture room was filled with members of the league and their friends

A pleasing programme was rendered. An instrumental quartett, composed of Miss Lottie Wells, Mr. and Mis. C. V. Predmore, and W. I. French was the opening miniter. This was followed by a piano duett by Misses Lulii and Hattie Davenport, a song, with guitar accompariment by Miss Armstrong and a humorous dialogue by Mis. A. T. Decker, and Oliver Hill, entitled "What's the matter with Hunnah?

A silver collection was taken up, after which ratesbinents were served and a p very pleasant social hour was enjoyed by all present

# A BOY FATALLY INJURED.

### Crushed by Falling Timbers While Watching the Slaughter of an Ox

Plalip Eastman the nine-year-old son or D. T. Eastman of Livingston Manor was ratally injured at that place Wed-

S. Werblonsky purchased an ox, which was to be killed. The slaughter house not being high enough, three large timbers were placed in position in the form or a tripod and the ox drawn up. The ox to his mentic efforts to escape broke one of the ropes which held the timbers. together, precipitating the three timbers as one upon the frail hody of young Eastman, who was watching the opera-

tion, crushing the boy to earth. With the united efforts of the men who had gathered to witness the killing of the ox the boy was extracated from under the heavy mass of timbers, and his almost hieless body was picked up and taken to his home

# Arrested for Stealing Coal.

Two Eric detectives and Officer Paulk ner arrested tour men at the Summit this afternoon, for stealing coal-

They are William and Matthias Mat thews, W. W. Fredericks and Charles Adgate. They have not yet had a hear-

# A Bridegroom Serenaded.

The 24th Separate Company Band, of den Block, last night

ALMOST BROKE THE RECORD. BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBAM, Jan. 15 .- One hundred and three bills were introduced in the Assembly, yesterday, the largest number in one day, except one, ever known.

SILK WEAVERS ON STRIKE. BY UNITED PRESS.

PATERSON, Jun. 15.-About 200 employes of the Golden Rod silk mills have struck against a reduction of wages.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

A Verdict for \$1,600 against the P. J., M, and N. Y. Railroad-The Law In

GOSHEN, Jan. 15 .- The jury in the cases of U I. Van Inwegen against the P. J., M. and N. Y. Railroad Co., after being out all night, rendered a verdict or \$1,300 for damage to woodland and of \$300 for the cordwood burned.

Two suits in which Samuel J. Van Inwegen is plaintiff involve the same facts as were at issue in the cases just decided. This action was brought to recover damages under the rule laid down by the Court of Appeals in N. Y. Reports, No. 115, O'Neill against the N. Y., O. and W. R. R. Co. This case was brough by William F. O'Neill, Esq., of this city. and was fought through to the Court of Appeals, where the principle involved was established, the rule which had obtained up to that time as laid down in Ryan against the H. R. R. R. Co. being reversed. It is now the leading case in this class of actions, and has established

In Ryan's case the defendant railroad company through their own negligence set fire to a building on its own property, which communicated fire to Ryan's building, 150 feet distant, which was destroyed. It that case the court ruled that the damage was too remote to be connected with the railroad\_company's acts and dismissed the case. The principle established in the tailers who then sold the imitation as case of O'Neill against the N. Y., O. and W. R. R. Co. is that no damage is too remote, which can be clearly traced as resulting from the negligent acts of the railroad company. The principle as laid down in O'Neill vs. N. Y., O. and W. R. R Co. has been followed by numerous subsequent cases, and is now universally recognized as the law governing actions resulting from negligently setting fire in this State.

Court adjourned sine die.

DR, GEORGE ALLEN PROMOTED. Appointed Medical Superintendent of

the Collins State Romeopathic Hos At a meeting of the managers of the

Collins State Homeopathic Hospital at Collins Farm, New York, Jan. 13th. Dr. George Allen, First Assistant Physician at the Middletown Hospital, was appointed Medical Superintendent. The

appointment is take effect March 1st. Dr. Allen has been connected with the Middletown State Hospital since May, 1890, and has fairly earned the promotion that has just been dendered hun, for he has been careful, earnest and progressive and his heart has always been n his work and he has never faltered m his purpose to do all and everything that was possible for the unior tunates committed to hiscare

WANT THE "LAW ON HIM."

### Red Hook's Bealth Board Will Try to Have Dr. Silliman Indleted.

The Poughkeepsie News-Press says that the Board of Health of the town or Red Hook will seek to have Rev. George D. Sillman, of Albany, indicted by the Dutchess County Grand Jury, next week, for removing his son from St. Stephen's College, at Annuadale in defiance of the orders of the local health authorities, who had quarantined the boy because it was supposed he had diphtheria. Dr. Silliman's defense is that the boy did not have diphtheria, and in this he says be is

OBITUARY.

# Edith Adele Robbins.

sustained by the State Health Board.

Edith Adele Robbins, daughter of the ate Supervisor Albert G. Robbins, of Hamptonburgh, died, Wednesday, at the home or her unde, Dr. W. V. Randall, in Brooklyn, aged twenty years and two months. The uneral was held at Washingtonville this morning.

# Noved from Midway Park.

The sectional building used as a photograph gallery at Midway Park, last summer was brought to this city, and set up, to day, on East Main street near Academy avenue

# Something to Know.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring , you do no want, are based simply the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Eclective Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Eelectric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digeshave tried it as the very best blood puri- be deceived. Insist upon having fier and nerve tone. Try it. Sold for 50c or \$1.00 per bottle at McMonagle & Rogers' Drug Store.

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RENOUNCE CHRISTMAS.

lohummedans. Brahmins and Buddhists Deny the Holmess of Christ.

There are millions upon millions of cople in the world who will not celewate Christmas, and there are other nillions to whom Christmas is objecionable, says the New York Herald.

Take the followers of Mohammed, or instance. They are divided into 40 or 50 different sects, among which tre the Nousay-rie-yeh. There are about 50,000 of them, and they believe n transmigration of the soul. They believe that men's souls pass after leath into the bodies of animals. For Lem the story of the birth and life if Christ has no charms.

Then there are the Druses, who proless to have knowledge that God has usited the world 234 times, but they so not believe in Christ. For them Christmas has no significance.

It is equally disregarded by Buddhists, Japanese, Chinese, Brahmins and Mohammedans. "There is no God out Allah," says the Mohammedans, 'and Mohammed is His prophet." Monammed's fololwers also have curious actions in regard to the fate of the unpelievers' children. Some believe that these children act as the servants of he faithful in Paradise, and Mohamned is recorded as saying on one oceasion to his wife:

"If thou desirest I can make thee near their cries in hades."

Other Mohammedan authorities, nowever, dissent from this view, and one of them boldly says: "I know that Allah will not torment those who have not committed any sin."

DRAW HIM OUT.

The Finest Art of Flirtation Is Adapta-

The finest art of flirtation is adaptaoility, says Lippincott's. I do not mean altogether to mold one's self after the mind or mood of the object of one's folicitude, but as rapidly as possible to liscover the broad lines of his or her character and disposition, then, with the courage of a military leader, turn the force of our friend, the enemy, in that channel which may best please own intelligence and purpose With a little executive ability, and, in case the object be a man, just a tinge of judicious flattery, this can be accomplished. Sometimes, of course, we run our heads against a stone wall; then something must go, and it is generally not the wall. This is as fatiguing a process in the mental faculties as standing on tiptoe is to the muscles of the foot; but the mental exercise, like the athletic, has its advantages. The rider of one hobby has generally another in training, if not in actual use; and the man who cannot make aimself interesting on either of the subjects that most absorb his own interests is not worth one's solicitude. and therefore proves nothing. "Suppressed stupidities avail themselves of

extraordinary opportunities to come to nght," says Heine. But there are few people in the world, except those who Ly undue garralousness give an unnecessarily emphasized illustration of mbecility, and will not, if taken in the right spirit and treated with a certain indulgence, prove entertaining from one standpoint or another.

Like Other Medicine. Penelope-I hear you are engaged to Miss Dingbatts at last.

Reginald-Yes; she refused me six times, but I persevered. Penelope-Then you were well shaken

before taking.—Harlem Life.

High Order of Wit. "Well," said the kite to the small boy, "I guess I will have to admit that you have me on the string. And that," continued the kite, "is what makes me

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FRIDAY, JAN. 15, 1897.

OPEN EVENINGS.

THE BUSINESS OFFICE OF THE "ARGUS" IS OPEN EVENINGS FROM SEVEN UNTIL EIGHT O'CLOCK.

> WEATHER INDICATIONS. BY UNITED PRESS.

Washington, Jan. 15. - Threatening weather and light local snow; clearingSaturday; light easterly winds; slight-

ly warmer Saturday. THE TEMPERATURE. The following was the registry of the thermon teer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 24°: 12 m., 30°: 3 p. m., 30°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

-Jan. 15 29-Rachelor Club hops. Jan. 19.—Literary Club's lecture, "Ancient French Art," by Charence Cook at Mrs. H. K Wilcox's, 2:30 p. m. —Jun. 20—Monbugen Hose Co.'s "stag," truck bouse.

-Jan, 21-" My Friend from India," at Casino. —Jan. 23.—Gorton's calchrated minstrels under the management of George Lea.

-Feb. 1-6-McQuoid Engine Co.'s fair, at As Jan. 20 -Social by Ladles' Auxiliary of the B of L. E.

Feb. 2—Officers' supper Waulkill Engine Co. Jan. 25-At the Assembly Rooms, "An Evening With Our Grandmothers' Songs," under the auspices of the Universalist Ladies' Aid Society.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

-Towels II cents up at Geo. B. Adams & Co. - Clearing sale of shors at C. D. Hauford's.
- My Friend from India," at Casino, Jan. 21 -Spring styles of hats at Morris Wolf's. -New goods for Saturday at Bull & Young-

-Fresh stock canary seed at J. E. Mills'
-(Joaks \$3 \*9 at Carson & Towner's. -Bargains in groceries at C. N. Predmor-son's.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS. -"My Friend from India, at the Ca-

sino, on Thursday night. -"A Trip to Chinatown" at the Ca

sino, next Monday evening. -The New Berlin condensery is now shipping a carload of condensed milk

every day. -Eight candidates have filed applications for examination for a vacancy in Newburgh's police force.

-The Newburgh Mænnerchor celebrated the thirty-fifth anniversary of its organization, last night.

-Ewald Bros, have orders enough on hand to keep their shoe factory at Deckertown running for a long time.

-Newburgh singers will produce the 'Pirates of Penzance" during Easter week, for the benefit of St. Luke's Hos-

-A new dealer in coal in Deposit bas made competition so red hot that coal is being sold there for only five cents a ton above cost price.

-Henry H. Tracey, a well known citizen of Oxford, Chenango county, died there. Wednesday, from the effects of injuries sustained in a runaway accident.

-All the physicians of the town of Fishkill have united is a movement to organize a general hospital, in which no lines shall be drawn between different schools of medicine.

-The Wantage Recorder says that Ben Van Fleet, who wanted the police to arrest the man who ran away with his wife, has often told his tales of woe to Deckertown's officials.

will be given at the home of Mrs. Arkills. 119 North street, this evening. Jan. 15. by the members of Orange Trust Lodge, No. 477, I. O. G. T. Supper 25 cents. All are cordially invited to at-

-You are taking no chances if you go to the Casino, Monday night." to see "A Trip to Chinatown." The company is this week at the Star Theatre, and come directly from there to Middletown. Laura Bigger appears as the widow and Burt Haverly as Welland Strong. There is to be no advance in prices.

## PERSONAL.

-Miss Nellie C. Purdy is visiting friends in Newburgh.

-W. B. Royce, Esq., went to Albany,

this morning, on legal business. -Miss Jennie Hallock, of Passaic, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. H. Sharp.

-Mrs. B. L. Beebe went to New York, this morning, for a few days' visit with

-Misses Minnie and Nellie Ferguson, of Port Jervis, are visiting relatives and friends in this city.

-Mrs. Conkling and daughter, Mrs. Thomas C. Brink, of Washingtonville, are visiting Mrs. Belle Banker, to-day.

-Miss Henrietta Scott, of Brooklyn who has been visiting her daughter. Mrs. George E. Wallace, returned home to-

-Misses Mollie and Lottie Gemp, of Brooklyn, are visiting their brother, William Gemp, of the Ontario House, at the North End.

-Clarence DeHart, of Brooklyn, is in this city on a few days' visit to the family of his uncle, A. C. Bowers, No. 17 Hanford street.

-Coroner John J. Perrott and Miss Mary Powell, both of Newburgh, were married in that city, yesterday, at the home of the bride, 756 Broadway.

-The Deckertown Independent says that George Armstrong, of Middletown, visited his sister, Mrs. II. C. Truex, on Monday. Also that Mrs. J. H. Smith, of Middletown, is a guest at the home of her brother, Ora Harden.

## Joined the Bear Hunters,

Officer Reusselar W. Wilson, who has a great reputation as a successful bear hunter with a record of three killed in one day, has joined the pursuit of the bear seen near Winterton.

You can't be well if your blood is impure, but you may have pure blood and good health by taking Hood's Sarsa-

THE BEAR HUNT AT WINTERTON Jerry" Barnes the Only Member of the Hunting Party Who Cota Shot at Bruin -Fired at Mim Five Times. But the Bear Still Lives to Be Shot at Again-

The Hunt Resumed To-day. Recorder-elect J. E. Barnes had his first shot at a bear, yesterday; in fact he had his first five shots, for he burned that much ammunition in fruitless attempts to lay bruin low.

Guided by the directions given by the O. and W. train crew, who first saw the bear, "Jerry," "Jake" Gunther, John Wilkin and "Dick" Sliter had no difficulty in locating the swamp in whose recesses the bear was said to have disappeared.

The hunters surrounded the swamp and Mr. Gunther, who has had much experience in hunting large game, volunterred to drive the bear out of its hiding place. Several hours were spent in a vain search and "Jerry," who had been placed on guard at the western extremity of the swamp, was growing cold and disgusted and much inclined to believe that the whole story was a fake, when he was startled by the appearance of the bear on a ridge two hundred yards directly north of him.

Corporal "Jerry" was armed with one of the old style Remington rifles, which is used in practice on the 24th Armory range, and from which the front sight had been removed. He was warned by Armorer Rose to "aim high" as the gun 'shot low." Following instructions, 'Jerry" "aimed high," and much to his digust saw that his bullet had struck the ground, just where he had aimed, a foot over the bear's head. Hequickly reloaded and fired again just as the bear disappeared behind the ridge. "Jerry" hastened to the spot and was rewarded by see ing bruin again, but at least 300 yards away and "still a-goin'." He blazed away, the bullet striking the ground just in front of the game, causing it to rise on its haunches and snort his defiance at the hunter. Away he sped again and 'Jerry" had two more shots at him both of which were ineffective. The bear then disappeared in a swamp covered

The other hunters had been attracted by the sound of "Jerry's" rifle and they soon gathered round him. They beat about the swamp, but failed to start the game again, and as darkness was approaching, all agreed that the bear would remain where he was until to-day, when the light snow which had begun to fall, would render tracking an easy matter.

with a dense growth of laurels.

Early this morning the party started for the bear grounds and "Jerry," who is armed with another rifle, insists that if he has another chance, he will have a different tale to tell.

## THE UNION MEETINGS.

### Interesting Discourse by Rev. Dr. Robinson and Remarks by Rev. Dr. Beattle

The services at the Second Presbyterian Church were led by Dr. Robinson. Thursday, who preached from the text: Thy People Shall Be Willing in the Day of Thy Power." He showed why willingness to do God's work should be manifest in christians. It tells of the power of God in the heart. The call of duty is the call of God and should be done joyfully and it will be if love is the motive power. others.

Dr. Wilson led in prayer and then Dr. Beattle remarked that the success of these meetings depends on the carrying out of the suggestions of the speakers and also those which come to our own hearts. Probably something specific has already come to our minds. It may be simply to ask some one to come to the meetings; whatever it may be let us act on it at ouce.

After a hymn had been sung Rev. Mr Heath pronounced the benediction.

## A BABY CONTEST.

## A Middletown Baby Pretty Enough to Have Its Portrait in a New York Paper

The New York Evening Journal has a baby contest on hand, having offered valuable prizes for the prettiest babies born in 1896. Each day it publishes the names of a number of babies whom the prize bady editor regards as pretty enough to receive special mention, and also a group of pictures of several of the prettiest babies. In last evening's issue appears the portrait of Helen Louise, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. E. Raasch, of this city. Shers pretty enough to be a prize winner.

## Escaped from Ludlow Street Jail.

William H. Post, formerly of Newburgh, but of late driver of a mail wagon in New York, pleaded guilty, yesterday, to robbing the mails in his charge, and was remanded for sentence. Early in the evening he, with three other prisoners. escaped from Ludlow Street jail. The escape was a very bold one, and the nerve displayed by the prisoners excite the admiration of the authorities.

## Excelsion's Social,

Excelsion's social, which will be held in the Assembly Rooms, Monday evening, will be entirely informal, following the custom of the company when the affairs are held in its own parlors. The usual programme of whist, refreshments and dancing will be carried out.

# A Whist Party.

Mrs. O. H. Brown entertained a number of friends at whist at the Russell House. Thursday. There were five tables. The lady's prize, a writing desk set, was won by Miss Eleanor B. Royce and the gentleman's prize, an ink stand, by George H. Isemar.

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THE O. AND W. MUST PAY.

The Judgment in the Sherwood-Me-Grath Calf Case Affirmed-No Further Appeals Possible.

The Appeliate Division of the Supreme Court at Albany, Tuesday, affirmed the judgment obtained by Webster Sherwood and W. H. McGrath against the O. and W. Company, in their suit to recover damages for delay in the delivery of a carload of seventy-four calves shipped from Livingston Manor, July 4th, 1893. The train was delayed, and the calves did not reach New York until too late for the market of July 5th, and were sold at a loss, the price having fallen and the calves having shrunk in weight because they were without food.

The shippers asked for \$100 damages, and when this was not allowed sued in Justice's Court and were given judgment for \$170 and costs. The railroad company claimed that the train was unavoidably delayed and that shippers had signed a release. Sherwood and Mc-Grath admitted having signed releases in blank in the course of their business as drovers, but denied having released the calves. The railroad appealed the case, and at County Court a verdict of \$176 was rendered. This judgment was reversed on appeal and a new trial ordered, which resulted in a verdict for \$203.75. From this the company appealed, and it is this judgment that has just been af-

The case cannot be carried farther. The judgment with interests and costs now amounts to over \$700. It is understood that one reason why the railroad company contested the case so earnestly was because a number of similar claims were dependent on the result of

YOUNG PEOPLE'S CHRISTIAN UNION

### Organized, Last Night, by the Young People of the Universalist Church.

The young people connected with the Universalist Church met last evening. with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gibbs, 122 West Main street. A "Young People's Christian Union." (the general name of the Young People's Societies of Universalist Churches) was organized. A constitution was adopted and the officers elected are: President, Miss Florence Freeman; Vice President. Miss Lena Lewis: Secretary, Wilfred Woodbead: Treasurer, Mrs. Wilbur E. Lutes.

After the business session the company was favored with songs by Miss Lens Lewis and Miss Laura Mullen, with selections on violin and piano by Miss Lottie Wells and Miss Mullen and with recitations by Miss Myrta Gibbs and Miss Florence Freeman. Refreshments were served by the genial bost and hostess.

## THE PRINTERS' MASQUERADE.

### Very Large Attendance, a Great Variety of Costumes and a Good Time for All.

The printers' masquerade at the Assembly Rooms, last night, was successful beyond the expectations of its managers. There were eighty couples in the grand march, and there were a large number of spectators.

There was a great variety of costumes some displaying much ingenuity in their conception and skill in their construc tion; some were handsome, others just the reverse, while the majority were gotten up only with the idea of disguising the wearers.

McWilliams's orchestra furnished the music, and dancing was kept up until a ate hour.

# A Rumor Concerning Milk Freights.

A rumor is current that the Inter-State 'omnierce Commission has at last decided the milk freight case, which was argued a year ago. The decision is said to fix the rates at twenty cents a can for the first hundred miles, forty cents for the second hundred and sixty cents for the third hundred. Although the origin of this report cannot be learned it is believed by many.

## A New Hose Company in Warwick.

Residents of the "west end" of Warwick village have organized a hose company with thirty-eight members, which they have named Raymond Hose, No. 2. mond has offered the company quarters | \$36 per acre. rent free for five years, 500 feet of hose and \$25.

## The Benedicts' Hop To-night.

The committee in charge of the bene diets' hop, to-night, has completed arrangements for a most enjoyable evening. Coaches may be had upon application at the Assembly Rooms at any time and in every possible way the wants of Hood's Sarsaparilla. the benedicts will have attention.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN COSHEN.

The Trolley Waiting Room Burglarized -St. James' Guild Entertainment -Dikeman's Social-Slipppd an Eccentric-"The Drummer Boy"-To Lecture at Washingtonville - Personal and Local Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—S. P. Dusenberry's trolley waiting room was burglarized, last night or early this morning. Futrance was enected through one of the side windows. Three boxes of cigars and \$3.50 in money were stolen. Nothing else of value seems to be missing.

-At the residence of Mrs. Wilmot P. Thompson, next Tuesday evening, an entertainment will be given for the benefit of Sr. James' Guild. A dramatized version of "Bluebeard" will be presented by the young members of the Sunday School and refreshments will be served.

-The regular menthly social of Dikeman Hose Company was held in the company's parlors, last evening. About eighty members and friends of the company were present and all report a very pleasant time. The following programme was a feature:

Music... Orchestra
Selection Chas. Tierney
Selection... Wm. Caroli
Selection... Empire State Trio
Selection... Harry Larkin
Mandolin... Frank E. Larkin Refreshments were then served, after chich dancing was continued until a late

February. -Frank A. Merriam. of Chicago, has peen spending a few days in town, this

hour. The next social will be held in

-Miss Florence Bacon entertained the Ladies' Whist Club, yesterday afternoon. -Elliott Hook and Ladder Company will give an entertainment at Music Hall, on the evening of the 28th inst. Addresses will be made by Rev. F. A. Crane and Rev. Geo. C. Betts.

-Mrs. S. T. Matthews and daughter will leave Goshen, this week, for a short stay in New York city.

-Engine.783 of the "pick up" train slipped an eccentric and became stalled at Goshen, last night. Train 22 went our on the west bound track.

-Tickets for the "Drummer Boy" will be placed on sale, to-day, at Power & Co.'s. The drama will be given Thursday and Saturday evenings, Feb. 4 and 6, at Music Hall. On Saturday afternoon, Feb. 6, a matinee will be given for the children with an admission of ten cents. -Rev. R. B. Clark will deliver his lecture, "Smiles vs. Guiles," at Washingtonville, for the benefit of the Christian Endeavor Society there on Tuesday evening. Jan. 21.

-The dancing class of Misses Morgan and Whidden gave a soirce, last night. at the home of Miss Morgan.

-Ed. Farnum has secured a position in New York city and began his duties. Wednesday.

### state Hospital Superintendent's Meass are strength.

Dr. Allison, of the Matteawan State Hospital, and Dr. Pilgrun, or the Hudson River State Hospital at Poughkeep sie, were candidates. Wednesday, for the honor of representing the Dutchess County Medical Society at the State Society's annual meeting. The contest was a hot one and Dr. Allison won by a vote of 17 to 14.

## Real Estate Sales.

-The farm of the late David Lozier, in Sparta, Sussex county, containing 165 acres, was sold at executors' sale, Monday, for \$9 an acre.

-The farm of the late James Lewis, in Stillwater, N. J., consisting of 199 neres or fine land and extensive buildings, was atter the president of the corporation sold at anction by the executors, in Newthat owns the hose factory. Mr. Ray- ton, on Monday, to George Lewis, for

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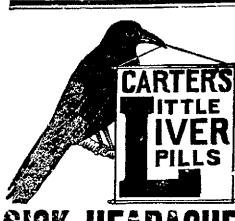
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S' PRIME Court of the State of New York-In the matter of the mortgage or deed of trust of the Middletown Unionville and Water Gap Railroad Company to John (Dimmick and

of the Middletown Union ille and Water Cap Railrond Company to John (Dimmak and Joshua Draper 1 tappearing to my satisfaction by the petition of the Middletown, Unionville and Water Cap Railrond Company verified the second day of lanuary 1871 and the affidavit of Dimet C Dusenberry verified the 18th day of December 1896 anneyed to said petition that on or about the first day of December, 1887 the said Middletown Unionville and Water Gap Railroad Company as party of the first part the New York and Oswago Midland Railroad Company as party of the first part the New York and Oswago Midland Railroad Company as party of the second purt, and John C Dimmick and Joshua Driper as trustees parties of the third part made executed and delivered thir mortgaze of deed of trust to secure the payment of certain bonds issued by the said party of the first part, Middletown Unionville and Water Gap Railroad Company and that said John C Dimmick one of said trustees departed this life on or about the 11th of May, 1873 and that said Joshua Draper the other of said trustees which resignation bears dute the 18th day of December 1856 and is annexed to said petition and it also appearing to my satisfaction from said petition that quagregate of one hundred and fifty thousand (150 000) dollars of said bonds to be secured by said mortgage or deed of trust was is all dispensions. Cut kit and Gustav E Kissell, both of the city of New York are suitable and proper persons to be appointed and substituted as trustees in place and stead of said John C Dimmick deceased and said Ioshua Draper resigned and substituted at ustees by an justiument in writing and by a true of a resolution of its Board substituted trustees by an justiument in writing and by a true of a resolution of its Board substituted to the approval of this Court.

Now on reading said petition said affidavit of Dinnel C Dusenberry and said resignation of Joshua Draper is such trustees and

iemonstrative, says the Detroit Free

Now on reading said petition said affidavit of Drinel (Disenberry and said resignation of Joshua Diaper is such trustees and On motion of Leopoid Wallach attorney for said petition.

Ordered that the holders of the bonds secured by said morting act or deed of trust and all other pirties having ar interest in or under said mortingage or deed of trust show cause if any they have at a Special Term of the Supreme Court appointed to be held in and for the county of Orange it the city of Newburgh in said county on the stiff divided and substituted as trustices under said mortings or deed of trust in the pine and stiff of aid John (Diman k and foshua Drafer is and morting or deed of trust in the pine and stiff of aid John (Diman k and foshua Drafer resided upon the hing at the office of the Clerk of this Court of a consent by and Cornelius (Cuvlet and Gustav Kassel duly responsible of trust and upon the filling of in instrument in writing executed by said mortings or ceed of trust and upon the filling of in instrument in writing executed by said mortings appointing said Cornelius (Cuvlet and Gustav Kassel as soch substituted trustees and consenting to left is trustees under the said morting appointing said Cornelius (Cuvlet and Gustav Kassel as soch substituted trustees and of a certified copy of the resolution of the Poard of Directors of said putitions authorizing such appointment and I do further. Order and direct that notes of the application for the appointment tof such substituted trustees be given to the benefit times under said morting or deed of trust by the publication of the Brooklyn Kings on the State and that such publication shall be deemed sufficient service of this order and of the proceding the resuder to said bond holders and all other purities interested in or under said morting or order of of trust of the proceding the resuder to said bond holders and all other purities interested in or under said morting or order of of trust.

CUPREMI COURT Or ingecounty—William H. First as executor of the last will and testa ment of John to Wilkin deceased plain tiff against James Bodine and June Lodine his wife Charles Podine and Julia Fodine his wife Phoche Bolton Miry Henry Isabel Wade Sarvis Bodine Agnes Wald fones Litzabeth Bodine, William Lodine Minedia. fours Chrabeth Bodin, William Bodine, Almedia Lodine, Wary Bodine, Betth i Bodine, I the Lodine John Bodine, Addr. Lodine, S. W. Rich, and S. Lank, P. Richards, and L. Vi. Pichards, his wife. Louise, Cipis William, Maybee and Lallie Maybee, his wife. Lattice, William Maybee and Lallie Maybee, his wife. Kittle, Winais, Mary, H. Hill Alice Monerose, Hittin, McCornold, Magnes, Sampson, Gabriel Maher, Mary II. Manor, Thomas I. Maher, and the Mary II and testament of Marginet Newlink, Holly discussed Anna White, Her Link, Boding, David Trimes Newkirk, and Catherine, Newkirk, his wife, defindants. wife defindants

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Hitherto Unpublished Letter of Gen. Jackson Telling How Packenham's Veteraus Were Defeated by American Frontiersmen.

In the Century William Hugh Robarts has an article entitled "Napoleon's Interest in the Battle of New Orleans" In this is quoted a hitherto unpublished letter written by Gen. Jackson to Mr. James Monroe. A portion of the letter follows: "There was a very heavy fog on the

over that morning, and the British had formed and were moving before 1 knew it. The disposition of the riflemen was very simple. They were told off in numbers one and two. Number one was to fire first, then step back and let number two shoot while he reloaded. About 600 yards from the riflemen there was a great drainage canal running back from the Mississippi river to the swamp in the rear of the tilled land on which we were operating Along this canal the British formed, under the fire of the few artillery pieces I had near enough to them to get their range. But the instant I saw them I said to Coffee, whom I directed to hurry to his line, which was to be first attacked. 'By God, we have got them; they are ours!" Coffee dashed forward, and, riding along his line, called out: 'Don't shoot till you can see their belt buckles' The British were formed in mass, well closed up, and about two companies front.

"The British, thus formed, moved on with a quick step, without firing a shot. to within 100 yards of the kneeling riflemen, who were holding their fire until they could see the belt buckles of their enemies. The British advance was executed as though they had been on pa-They marched shoulder to shoulder with the step of veterans, as they were At 100 yards' distance from our lines the order was given: 'Extend column front' 'Double quak, march! Charge!' With bay orets at the charge, they came on us at a run I own it was an anxious moment; I well knew the charging column was made up of the picked troops of the British army. They had been trained by the duke himself, were commanded by his broth-



er-in-law, and had successfully held off the ablest of Napoleon's marshals in the Spanish campaign My riflemen had never seen such an attack from had they ever before fought white men. The morning, too, was damp, their powder might not burn well

""God help us" I muttered watching the rapidly advancing line Seventy, 60 50 tine its 40 vards were they from the silert kneeling riflemen. All of m nen laguld see was their long rifles rested on the logs before them. They obeyed their orders well not a shot was fired unt I the redeouts were within 40 virids. I heard Coffee's voice. he reared out 'Now men aim for the center of the cross belts! Tire!" second after the order a crackling bluz ing flish ran 44 along our line. The smoke hung so heavily in the misty moriting air that I could not see what had happened - I called Tom Overton and Abner Duncan of ny staft and we galloped toward Coffee's line. In a few seconds after the first fire there comanother sharp ringing volley. As I came within 150 sards of Coffee th smoke lifted enough for me to make out what was happening

The Pritish were filling back in confused disorderly mass, and the in the first ranks of their columns were blown (way for 200 yards) from from the ground was covered with a mass of withing wounded dead indelying is I coats. B, the came the rifles was wiped tile British line was reformed and on it came again. This time the were led by Ocn. Pakerham in person gallandy mourted and riding as though he was on pur de Just before he got within ringe of toffees line l heard as ngle rifle shot from agroup o country carts we had be musing about 175 yards distint and i moment there after I Saw Pakenham red and pitch our of his soldle. I have ewite by hered he fell from the bullet of a free man of color who was a f mous r 4e shot and came from the Mal appas region of Louisian i. The second advirce was proceeds like the first in its end ng In use sollers the 1500 or more riflemen Killed and wounded 2,117 Birth ish soldiers, two-thirds of them kirled leid or mortilly wounded. I did not thow where Gen Pakenhim was dying or I should have sent to him or rone in person, to often any service in my power to render

I was told be lived two hours after be was lift. His wound was direct a through the liver and bowels. Gen Kiene I hear was killed dead. These sent a flag to me, asking leave to gathe. up then younded and bury their dead which of course, I granted I was told by a wounded officer that the rank and file absolutely refused to make a thire charge. 'We have no chance with such shooting as these Americans do,' they

A Bird on Her Shoulders.

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Where it nestled in the moonlight, by the rippling, rolling water,

Just without the somber shadow of the
hill, "Remind me of Al Raschid, the Catiph old,

returning From his travels in disguise, his chiefest

Because," her cheek with shame at such a break outrageous burning,
"They certainly are going to Bagdad"

-N. O. Times-Democrat.

Merely Guesswork.

The patient was very low and seemed oblivious to all that was going on in the room; but you can't always tell about patients. Sometimes they are very de-

"Doctor," said the trained nurse who was watching by the bedside and was of an inquiring turn of mind, "is medicine considered one of the exact télences?"

"No," murmured the patient, feebly, pefore the doctor had a chance to reply. "It's guesswork and experiment. I guess I know."—Chicago Post.

Case Dismissed. "I charge this man with arson," shouted the excited fat man to the sur-

prised court. "That's a very grave charge, sir.

What evidence have you?" "Plenty of it, your honor; plenty of it. He fired me bodily down two flights of stairs and out of the building."

"He may have fired you, but you admit his putting you out. Next!"-Detroit Free Press.

A Serious Drawback.

Hungry Dawson-By gee! I sometimes think our profession is jist about the meanest bisness goin'.
Hobo Hank—Huh! Wor's wrong wid

Hungry Dawson-Well, wen other fel-

Ters is abused, they kin strike; but, durn it all, the only way we could strike would be by goin' to work!-N. Y.

No Opinions.

Lawyer-Judging from your replies, you do not seem to have any opinions on any subject.

Passible Juror-No, sir; I ain't tried to have no opinion of my own for a good many years.

"Humph! How many years?" "Oh. I dunno; ever since I married."

-N. Y. Weekly.

George Tumbled. "I don't see any mistletoe hanging in the old-time place," said George, re-

proachfully. "Papa could not afford it this year," replied Grace, coyly: "but I've got the ribbon in my hair I used to hang the mistletoe up with.'

George fell over himself .- N. V.

The Borrid Brother.

Clara's little brother had heard the barber say something about her beau's beard being a la mode. Running in to her as she was seated with the family at the dinner table be exclaimed:

his beard all mowed."-Roston Courier.

She Suspected It.

"Why, Mrs. Partenu, this is unmistakahly an old master." said the enthusiastic caller.

"That's just what I rold John. I'll send it back to have it repainted and glo & Rozers. a new frame put on."-Detroit Free

Surety.

"I do not doubt you" she slowly said.
"Fut I think it would be letter. nable that moulte in earnist bow To propose to me by latter "

—For City Chat.

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M.nn.e-D.d you sing for Mr. Goodcutch last night, dear?

Whatte-Yes, love, for nearly an hour, 'crosp. W. D. Onley. Mingle-Ub, I'm so glad, darling, I; always detested that man .- N. Y. Her-

Romance.

"Did you read about the man who put a love letter in a bottle and set it arlea t?" "No: who got it?"

"A milkman's daughter."—Chicago Record. Warning Too Late.

She-You looked like a tool when you proposed to me.

He (gloomily)-Well, why didn't you | Wissian & Scorms a same tell me before it was too late?-Detrait Tribune.

in His Head.

Flossic-There's Gussie, he tells me he can carry immense sums in his head. Maggie-Perhaps so, but he never carries them in his pocket.—Larks.🥬

Retired.

he got rich and retired." "What is he now?"

"A kleptomaniae."-N. Y. Truth. The Best They Could Do.

She-Do you know, I really wish I had lived in the dark ages. He-I can turn down the gas.-N. Y. Journal.

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28—Lake avenue and West street.

29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.

213—State Hospital Gate

214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.

215—Rear of State Hospital.

34—Palton and Mill streets, hat shop.

213—Rear of State Hospital.

214—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.

35—Unch and Hanford streets.

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37—Mull-cry and Fulton streets.

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## THE SPEIDEL INQUEST.

### The Third Herring Yesterday- Br. Cuddeback Discredits the Suicide Theory —Fred Kimmel Is Testifying Fo-day.

At the hearing, Thursday afternoon, Squire Richard Conkling testified as to the appearances of the body when found.

Ludwig Laux, by whom Speidel was employed, testified that he had not seen h m since Jan. 1st. His relations with the deceased were entirely pleasant Once he objected to his going with Annie Bowman and threatened to discharge him if he did not cease his attenfions to her.

Trank Moore, a farm hand employed by Mr. Laux, testified that Speidel was a cheerful good natured fellow.

None of these witnesses had ever seen Speidel have the gloves found near the body and the questions asked them by Wilton Bennet on cross-examination in regard to Speidel's appearance and the clothes he wore indicated a purpose to discredit the testimony of some of the witnesses who had testified at the n-

Dr Banks, one of the physicians who performed the autopsy, said that death was due to suffocation, but the condition in which the body was found might have been produced by chloroform

Dr. Cuddeback, who also assisted at the autopsy, testified that he was firmly of the opinion that Speidel did not take his own life but was choked to death

The inquest was adjourned until today, when Fred Kimmell, of this city, Speidel's brother-in-law, will give testimony which it is said will be important

## GORTON'S MINSTRELS.

### At the Casmo, Jan. 23d, Under George Lea's Wanagement

The Lewiston, Me, Daily Sun speaks in terms of very high praise of Gorton's minstrels who recently appeared in that city and who will appear at the Casino, Saturday evening Jan 234, under the management of Geo. Lea The Sun says that the first part was the brighest and i best that has been heard in Lewiston in years, the solos being incely rendered and the chorus and instrumental music of a high order The specialties were all of unusual excellence The famous Crescent City Quartette rendered fine selections and was recalled again and again. The varied performance, in which interest never flagged, closed with a most laughable act by Kennedy and Voduer grostesque comedians, which was a filting finale for a very excellent show

## BULLVILLE

### Annual Election of the Horse Thief Detective society.

Correspondence Argus and Margary

kating, Wallkill and Crawford Horse have been Mr and Mrs Van Keuren. Thief Detective Society, on Monday, Jan. 11th, the following officers were elected President-Sılay H. Dickinson.

Secretary-John E. Duryea. Treasurer—John F Bennett

Trustees—Theodore Writer, Charles Hulslander, Wm. W Oliver, Birdsey Youngs, James E Crawford, E S Puff Riders—Wm. H. Decker, E D. Huls-apple, John H. Terry, James McGumess, Thomas A Anderson

The society is in a very flourishing condition having upwards of \$300 in the treasury, and having an increase of ten new members at the present meeting

# NEW HAMPTON

### Preparing for the Ice Harvest-Fine "katting-Other Notes, Correpondent Andre and Mencans

#-Miss Stella Tuthill, of Chester, vistfed hermond, Miss V. C. Stage, last

-Mrs Wm Mabee visited relatives at

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FOUND DEAD IN BED.

## Lydia Bondish Dies Suddenly During Wednesday Night.

Lydia Bowdish, agedforty-seven years, who resided in the old school building in the village of Florida, was found dead in her bed, yesterday morning, at 5:30 o clock, by her daughter

She had been confined to her bed for some time and her daughter, who resides in the Hulse building, corner of James and King streets, this city, was called home and it was she who discovered her mother's dead body.

Mrs Bowdish was about forty-seven years old. She was a confirmed opium eater, and it was at first supposed she had taken an overdose of the drug, but Dr Many, who was attending her, had prohibited the use of opium a week ago. and it is known that she had none since and it is therefore presumed that death was in part, at least, due to the collapse following the discontinuance of the narcotic, to which she had long been accustomed

It is a strange coincidence that Mrs. Bowdish's mother who died in the same way a year ago, was also a victim of opium and the circumstances of the finding of her dead body were recited to the coroner by Mis. Bowdish, just as her own daughter described the finding of her body vesterday.

## The Deckertown Condensery Sold.

B. P Walling who recently bought the Deckertown condensery, has sold it J. M. Horton, the ice cream manufacturer of New York city, who will use the milk and cream from the establishment in his business. It will be managed by H. C. Horton and E B Lewis.

SOUTH CENTREVILLE.

# The Entertainment at the Methodist

Donation Correspondence Argus and Mercury

-The following sixteen young people from Greenville are on the programme of the literary entertainment to be given in connection with the Methodist donation in this place, Tuesday evening, Jan 19, or if stormy the next fair evening The Misses Ostrander, Hattie and Clara Manning, Jennie and Myrta Reede, Maggie and Phebe Decker, Addie and Bertha Lateer and Bertha Hallock, also the Messrs. Harry, Walter and Percy Hallock, Clein Van Etten, Charles Hairis and Morley Green

GREENVILLE.

## The Masked Social—Interest in the Sun-

day School. Correspondence Argus and Mercury

-There was an error in the previously announced names of the hosts who entertain the masquerade sociable, down for Wednesday evening, Jan. 20, at then through a door, and lodged in the At the annual meeting of the Mama- | Smith's Corners. Their names sho pa

being shown in our Sunday School, manies yet. caused by the pictorial cards, uld ers and premums offered by Pastor Brown for attendance and scripture verses learned. All the young people, large and small, are invited to participate.

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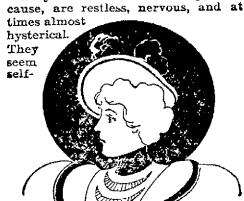
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## STARLIGHT.

## Many Personal and Local Notes-Shot Through the Leg.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY

-Charles Gallagher, who has been away for over a year in New Jersey and elsewhere, returned home last week.

-Mr and Mrs. Daniel Radigan removed to Starlight from Crogan, N. Y., Saturday last

-Miss Kit Mongan has resigned her position as teacher of the Starlight at Wm S Roe's, 37 James St 18ddw3mMch17 chool and will take the school at North Branch, next Monday Miss Mongan was well liked here, and all feel very sorry for her departure.

-Miss Verna Racine returned to her home at Pine Grove, Sunday

-Miss Emily Dunlap, who has been lying on her bed since September, we are glad to say, is on the gain.

-Henry Hickey, Will Volan and James McLarney were the guests or William Mongan, Sunday

-A large number of our young people heartily enjoyed themselves. Sunday skating on the pond at Starlight.

-Nolle Edwards accidentally shot James Comedy through the leg, a new days ago, making a very severe wound The ball passed through the leg and bed-post in one corner of the room.

-There are rumors of a marriage in -A special and promising interest is Starlight, but don't like to mention any

# BEAVERKILL.

## Lost a Horse-The Lewbeach Creamery -A Private Dance

Correspondence Augus and Mencuny. -J. W Van Steenburgh has returned

from Liberty. M —E R Sprague lost one of his best horses last week. It got loose and ate

too much grain -The creamery at Lewbeach will start up next month. The company will make butter for two and one-half cents a pound and find salt and packages.

-Since the death of her husband Mrs. Monzo Long and two daughters have been in Delaware county with her people -Mr and Mrs John Javeox are visiting at Mrs. Maggie Davis's. They had a little private dance on Tuesday evening.

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Good 1896 Pack Sweet Corn 4 cans 24c
Good Marrow Peas 4 cans 25c
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2 pound Golden Pumpkin &c a can
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Amber Syrup 18c a gallon, 5c a quarr
Good New Molasses 25c a gallon
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Fine Boston Marrow Squash 16c a can Dark Brown Raw Sugar 412c a pound Extra White Syrup 25 and 30c a gallon. hatra Molassis 30 and 45c a gallon. batra Molassis 30 and 45c a gallon. 3 pound box Kingsford's starch 25. Best June Butter 17 to 15c a pound. Finest Eigln Creamery Butter 22c. Fine Legons 12c a dozen.

Best Granulated Sugar, American 32c for 7 lbs

Pure Leaf Lard 10 lbs 6c and retail 7c a pound.

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Extra Sweet Corp. 1895 pack, 5, 10 and 12c a can.

Extra Early June Sweet Peas 8, 10 and 12c a can

Extra Jersey and New York State Tomatoes &

lest Small Hams, 10 to 14 pounds, 11c.

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Fine Lemons 12: a dozen Finest Sweet Jamaica Oranges 20, 25 and 35 centra dozen 3 pound can Apricots 12: a can Diamond Medal, Washburn, Crosby's Superlative and Pillsbury's Best Flour at about present car load prices at retail. Give us a call. We can sell you goods as cheap as any store in the city. Cut this out for future reference. It will not appear again, but we will have the

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